Senate Passes Assessor Bi

Muscatine, Iowa, Thursday, February 19, 1931



ONSENSE-The papers have been filled lately about 54 leading cancer authorities nting a symposium of honor to Prof. James Ewing of Cornell University because they call him the world's greatest cancer authority. Between 300 and 400 noted icians attended and with the whole gang they still admit they causes it nor how to cure it. NEITHER DOES PROF. EWING KNOW. The 400 doctors could have learned more by coming to Muscatine for a week's investiga-

SANDINO is seldom praised but he deserves much of it. He fought the United States Marines down in country, believing that they had no business down there trying to settle the government's affairs. He fought for the people, and gave them a good fight. KEEP OUR NOSES OUT OF CENTRAL AMERICAN WARS.

IS YOUR LEG WORTH \$43, 200? August Carfelo just received werdict of that amount from the railway in Scranton, Pa., for the loss of his leg. August, I bet, is having the time of his life trying o decide which gives him the most appiness, two less or ONE LEC-

SILENT LOVE-A precio thing and one never as a rule realizes the silent love one has for them until it is too late or until they are gone. Mrs. Mary Jane Lanigan of San Francisco will never realize the silent love her husband. Henry, 73 years of age, She lay in her coffin. Henry went to gaze upon her, and fell dead at the side of the coffin. That's LOVE, silent love, speaking. No one knows that feeling in gazing at a loved one except those who have gazed. I have erienced it on MOTHER. Boys and girls be good to mother. You never really miss her UNTIL SHE IS GONE. Then you will regret you did not show her a good tim while she was with you. TAKE HER OUT NEXT SUNDAY FOR A PLEASURE TRIP. Bring her to KTNT and let the Prof. Daffy School kids entertain her.

Love in the Jungles of Java is expensive, in case Mrs. Sidney Lund wins her fight against Dorothy Janis for \$25,000. Mrs Lund says Dorothy stole her husband's love down in the jungles. EASY TO DO. There is no more lonesome place than in the jungles.

Speaking of love in the jungles -how would you like to be looking up into the large bright eyes of a Java maid, under a cocoanut tree with a misc) sujous monifey above fooling with a cocoanut. Some monkeys are really brainy enough to drop it square on your head. When you love, keep away front cocoanut trees, and also keep your car ventilated if the engine is run-

FARMERS WILL LIKE THIS Two men in Belleville, Ill., were sentenced by Judge Miller to year in jail with the wish that they would be made to peel potatoes as long as they were in jail, They stole 40 bushels of potatoes That's satisfaction to the owner of the 40

Farmers of Tipton, Iowa, next Saturday, Feb. 21, will hold a meeting protesting against T. B. testing of cattle. The test is not in-fallible and if these farmers are they will do well to study the effects of clay on the cow's tall. Farmers say this keeps down the swelling of the injection, and the cow-puncher cannot tell anything and the cow passed as O. K.
THERE IS TWO WAYS TO EY-ERY POINT.

OF PASSAGE IN **UPPER HOUSE**

Big Majority Expected When Vote Is Taken

By W. K. HUTCHINSON

WASHINGTON—(INS)—Prompt passage of the \$700,000,000 bonus "loan" bill, without amendment, was the slogan on Capitol Hill as the senate prepared to give the measure an overwhelming endorse-ment against the wishes of Presi-

dent Hoover.

The president's opposition, interpreted as indicating he will veto raty because they call him preted as indicating ne will evid on the bill, made no impression on a separate anxious to increase the borrowing capacity of the bonus certificates from 22 1-2 to 50 per cent. It was apparent the bill would pass the senate by more than the two-thirds vote, which will be necessary later on to override a presidental verte. veto.

Ready For Vote Ready For Vote
Friends and foes of the measure
were ready to vote although several
hours will be required to exhaust
debate. The only opposition came
from administration senators, who
reiterated the president's protest
that the bill would require a large
bond issue, disturb business and
banking conditions, and pave the

that the bill would require a large bond issue, disturb business and banking conditions, and pave the way to demands for a full cash payment of the bonus certificates, long in advance of their 1945 maturity. This was the public position of administration leaders, who indertook to back up the president and secretary of the treasury Andrew W. Mellon. Privately, they hoped the bill would pass and be signed by the president, so that the bonus issue would be removed from the economic horizon and kept out of the 1932 campaign.

Provisions of Bills
The bill, as it passed the house, would allow World war veterans to borrow up to 50 per cent of the face value on their adjusted compensation certificates. These certificates, inside in 1924 as a substitute for a cash bonus, carried a provision, permitting loans up to 22 1-2 per cent of their face value. The new bill would increase this borrowing capacity and impose a compound interest at 4 1-2 per cent on the capacity and impose a compound interest at 4 1-2 per cent on the

Settlement of the bonus con-iroversy will remove another legis-ative problem and pave the way for an amiable adjournment March 4. There will still be some debate and a possible effort to force the Red Cross to spend more money on drought and unemployment re-

PLEA OF WOMAN

FOR LIFE FALLS

And for men without gay.

All of 'Em Optimistic

And for men without funds, no place to sleep or eat and a place to sleep or eat and no home, they are the cheeriest, carefree and most hospitable bunch of fellows. I have ever had the pleasure of common professions for which the men of our "fungles" in Muscatine were qualified follows:

Veterinarian, blacksmith, laundryman, metal finisher, interior decorator, boilermaker, switchman, a grudge against all mankind. On the contrary if there is any optimism in the world these men sure have it.

I drank a "cup 'o' java" with them from an old rusty can while sittend and Dague received the verdict with silent stoicism. Dague, a former Sunday school teacher, rebuffed efforts of his wife to bid him seved has He wife sense to the contrary in the contrary and contained constructional iron worker, gas motor expert, (who was with Caterplate to sleep or eat and no home, they are the cheeriest, carefree and the pleasure of composition most hospitable bunch of fellows. I have ever had the pleasure of composition most worker with the men of our "fungles" in Muscatine were qualified follows:

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Irene and Dague received the verdict with silent stoicism. Dague a former Sunday school teacher, rebuffed efforts of his wife to bid him scod-laye. His wife came to the him good-bye. His wife came to the jail with the couple's two small

ROBBED SIXTH TIME

DES MOINES—(INS)—It was revealed today that the sixth rob-bery in the past 24 months has oc-curred at the Borrusch Drug company. Narcotics and cigarets were taken Tuesday night.

The WEATHER man says

IGWA: Probably fair tonight and Friday, but some eloudiness; somewhat warner Friday and in extreme southwest portion to a substantial portion; in the probably occasional light rain or about the proton.

ILLINOIS: Mostly cloudy, possibly occasional light rain or anow in sorth portion; somewhat warmer in extreme sorthwest portion.

WISCONSIN: Mostly unsettled rising temperature except in extreme southeast portion.

MISSOURI: Probably fair tonight and Friday, but some cloudiness; slightly warmer Friday and in extreme sorthwest portion tonightly warmer Friday and in extreme sorthwest portion tonightly warmer Friday and in extreme sorthwest portion tonightly warmer for the sorthwest portion tonight or the sorth-central states the weather helf of the north-central states the weather will be more to less cloud, probably followed by snow in the sorthwest principles of the middle send portion was a sorthwest work of the middle warmer great plains area hobott Friday might. Temperatures will be more of the middle warmer great plains area bottom great plains area bottom great plains area bottom great plains area Friday or Friday might.

BONUS CERTAIN Many Optimists Found In 'Jungles' Here by Writer VALUE OF LAND



Here's a bunch of the boys caught by the Free Press photographer in the "Jungles" at the west end of the railroad yards between the tracks and the Mississippi river just as they were preparing a feed" of fried potatoes and crumbled up hamburger.

Free Press Representative Takes a 'Cup'o Java' With 53 'Wanderers' and Learns Their Nickname for Grace Weeks

Ry BOB MORRIS

"All right Bo, have a cup 'o java? Where you headed, east or west." Hey there, Ramblin Red, slide over a notch. What's eatin you? This logs big erruif for all of us to st on."

These were the greetings that greeted this writer on a visit to camps, probably better known as the "Jungles," of our floating population which is located at the west end of the railroad yards between the tracks and the Mississippi river.

In the two camps, about 100 yards apart, there were 53 floaters or as some say "hoboes," which is a very good population for this time of the year. The word "hoboes," however, does not seem to fit very well the class of men found in our Muscatine "jungles" at this time. So let us call them wanderers search:

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CAPONE FACES CONTEMPT TRIAL

Court Finally Catches Rep. Davis Seeks to Up With Chicago Vice King

CHICAGO — (INS) — The "big hot" himself will have to appear in shot" himself will have to appear in court next Wednesday. Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson today ruled that Al Capone must go to trial on that day on a charge of contempt of court. He denied a motion of the gangster's attorneys to dismiss the information and quash the attachment for

Capone's arrest.

The contempt case resulted from Capone's disinclination to come to Chicago two years ago to appear before a grand jury. He sent word he was ill, but government agents said he was not too ill to attend the races in Florida, where he was wintering.

West Branch Girl

WEST BRANCH. Ia—(INS)—
Lois Irwin, 9, is dead at her howe as the result of burns.
The child attempted to start the kitchen fire with kerosene and was enveloped in flames.
The mother rushed the child to the mother rushed the child to the mother rushed the child to a lower when the birds are caught including or destroying crops.

The bill also provides that on the birds are caught including or destroying crops.

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WOULD CHANGE T. B. TEST LAW

Strike Out Compulsory Part DES MOINES .- (INS) -A bill

introduced into the house today Rep. Davis of Delaware proposed a change in the present tubercular test laws so that the statute en-forcement would be optional with a cattle owner.

The present law makes it conpulsory that a tubercular test be taken.

This bill was expected to meet strenuous opposition, Mark Thornsecretary of agriculture, burg, stated this morning that he did not expect the bill to pass beyond a ommittee.
The house passed three other bills

Dies From Burns By a vote 60 to 30 the house

CENSUS SHOWS IN COUNTY LOW

Land and Buildings Valuation Figure Takes Big Drop

The value of land and buildings in Muscatine county has dropped \$28,000,000 in 10 years and \$3,000,-000 in five years, according to preliminary census figures obtained today from the census bureau by the Free Press.

The 1930 value of Muscatine county's land and buildings is placed at \$34,257,731 as compared with \$37,418,253 for 1925 and \$62,-831,221 for 1920.

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The tremendous decrease is in the value of the land rather than that of the buildings, the latter showing a slight increase, although the increase in population. Land in the county in 1930 is recorded as worth \$22,881,113; in 1925 as worth \$28,418,253; and in 1920 as worth \$54,071,098. The value of the buildings of Muscatine county in 1930 was \$10,376,515; in 1925 \$8,421,940 and in 1920 \$8,760,123. 8.421,940 and in 1920 \$8,760,123 Acreage Still Below 1920

The acreage of all land in farms s still less than in 1920 although t has increased over the total in 925. The 1930 figures show 256.-33 acres; 1925 an acreage of 247,-59; and 1920 an acreage of 263,-51;

obi.
Other tabulations are: Value of implements and machinery, 1930, \$2,013,561: 1925, \$1,731,111: 1920, \$2,775,594: average value of land and buildings: per farm, 1930, \$18,588; 1925, \$21,033; 1920, \$32,674. Per acre, 1930, \$133.80; 1925, \$151.21; 1920, \$238.86.

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Tenantry's increase is shown by the statement that the number of farms in Muscatine county operated by tenants was \$40 in 1930 as compared with 782 in 1920. Owners had dropped from 1,106 in 1920 to 970 in 1930 and there were 33 farm managers as against 35 managers 10 years before.

Livestock showes a decrease also the number of horses in the country in 1930 was 3,353 as compared with 11,289 in 1920. The number of mules had fallen off about a third, or from 781 in 1920 to 593 in 1930. The cattle census showed a similar heavy drop. In 1920 Muscatine county had 36,526 head of cattle, while last year it contained only 26,945. This decrease was not reflected in the census of milk cows, which showed 9,504 in 1930 but only 7,287 in 1920. The swine population has decreased in ratio similar to that of the cattle. The county had 73,136 cattle in 1920 and 48,218 in 1930. The number of chickens is slightly less than 10 years ago, the 1930 figures being 206,423 and those in 1920 222,346.

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Larger quantities of cost threshed for grain, of barley and of hay were produced in the county in 1929 than in 1919, but smaller quantities of corn harvested for grain, wheat, rye and corn but for silage. The figures are for 1929 and the five and ten-year periods previous, in terms of bushels:

Voting of true bills by the grand for two hours, four charges of explosives being required to remove the many low praying from 10 to carry to the bandits' car in a nearby cemetery. They then were taken to a remote spot outside town and released. First intimation of the robbery was the discovery by M. J. Barris to furnish bond without difficulty.

Voting of true bills by the grand jury concluded its investigation of the many who, by naving from 200. 2,603,159; oats threshed for grain, 917,331; wheat, 152,640; barley, 59,657; rye, 13,478; hay, 43,283; corn cut for silage, 14,488.
1924: Corn harvested for grain, 1,993,382; oats threshed for grain, 1,193,068; wheat, 196,202; barley, 20,175; rye, 32,051; hay, 32,961; corn cut for silage, 22,668.
1919: Corn harvested for grain, 746,099; wheat 302,283; barley, 39,618; rye, 53,749; hay, 40,362; corn cut for silage, 34,690.

Oats Acreage Increases The acreage of oats threshed for grain, of barley and of hay shows an increase in 10 years, while that of wheat, rye, corn harvested for grain and cut for silage shows a drop.

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These figures, it was declared by the census bureau, are preliminary and subject to correction. The 1930 census was taken April 1.

STRANGERS IN MUSCATINE are invited to take

advantage of the Free Press Free Rental Bureau.

We will be glad to assist you in finding a desirable place to live, as to the best location: and how to find

Inquire CLASSIFIED DEPT. MIDWEST FREE PRESS

Kill This Bill! Act Now!

As usual the medical gang is busy in Des Moines fostering its bills upon the legislature, and none are more vicious than Bill No. 224, which has been written to protect the medical doctors and as a slap at the Baker hospital in Muscatine.

The bill provides that the board of health may revoke a

physician's license on the same grounds that same may be revoked in the district court. As conditions are now, a physician's license cannot be revoked without taking the matter into the district court in the district where the physician lives. THAT IS GOOD LAW.

This part of the bill gives the board of health the power of a czar

This part of the bill gives the because any physician they do not like, they can revoke his license on any pretense. I know this as a fact when I say "any pretense." They refused to renew the license of Dr. J. L. Statler, superintendent of the Baker hospital, last June simply because he worked for Norman Baker. They brought no printed charge against him. They are out persecuting and prosecuting the Baker hospital and the medical gang has threatened to revoke the license of any doctor who works for Norman Baker. They refused to renew Dr. Statler's those physicians who are brave and fearless and who refuse to refused to renew Dr. Statler's license, but they did not come into the Muscatine district court to try and revoke it for reasons that they FEARED EXPOSURE

that they FEARED EXPOSURE of their viciousness and other tactics.

Another paragraph of the bill gives them the right to renew the license of any physician by recommendation of the state he all the commissioner. This MAKES THE COMMISSIONER

MAKES THE COMMISSIONER A CZARs—We do not want czars in Iowa—they had one in Russia but he was killed. WHY START WITH AN IOWA MEDICAL CZAR? This is what that section permits them to do. Any doctor that is convicted in the state of Iowa for murdering innocent girls by CRIMINAL ABORTION, or any doctor that is so convicted

FRAUD CHARGE **FACES 'WIZARD**

Benham Indicted by Grand Jury at Belvidere

BELVIDERE, III-(INS)-An inlictment charging confidence game and obtaining money under false pretenses stood against Albert W. Benham today while "Fifty Per Cent Al" was again reported "out of town."

Capiases for arrest of Benham on seven of the nine counts in the indictment were issued Wednesday by Circuit Judge E. D. Shurtleff of

jury wrote Finis to the career of the man who, by paying from 10 the vault door. to 50 per cont interest on short term loans, did a land office "in-

To Draw Jury for

Sixty petit jurors to serve during were ordered drawn in an order signed by Judge A. P. Barker, who will preside on the local bench throughout the next term. The jurors are to report for duty at 10 o'clock, April 10.

WOMAN HANGS SELF CLINTON, Ia.—(INS)—Mrs. William Will, 45, wife of a Low Moor farmer, hanged herself today. Despondency over ill health was given as possible reason.

GROCERY BURNS

DES MOINES—(INS)—The groc-rev store of E. G. Gearhart was destroyed by fire early today. The destroyed by fire early today. The building was valued at \$3,000.

for selling narcotics THAT MAKE YOUR LOVED ONES DRUG ADDICTS, may have his license renewed even though it has bein' revoked by the state, providing he is a member of the Medical Association, and stands in good with the commissioner who the law would say, may RE-NEW HIS LICENSE. Can't you see the "nigger in the wood pile"? It protects their own and places those physicians who are brave

become the "puppets" of the medical trust, at their mercy. It is the duty of every one of you readers to write a letter to your Iowa senator and represen-tative, care State House, Des Moines, and urge them to defeat this bill No. 224.

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It is stated that the bill was defeated part way, that the medical group agreed to permit the first vicious paragraph to be omitted providing that the second vicious paragraph which gives the Commissioner of Health CZARLSTIC CONTROL was retained.

Urge your senators and representatives to defeat this treacherous trust bill. There is no time to waste. DO IT NOW for the good of Iowans.

NORMAN BAKER.

CUT OFF TOWN AND LOOT BANK

Bandits Kidnap Two, Get \$22,100 After **Snipping Wires**

CEDARVALE, Kas. - (INS)

CEDARVALE, Kas. (INS)
Loot amounting to \$22,100 was obtained by two bandits who wrecked the Citizens National bank by exploding the vault early today, cut all telephone and telegraph lines leading into the town and kidnaped two men.

The kidnaped men, Carl Osborne, night watchman at the Sante Fedepot, and A. C. Crossland, Missouri-Pacific telegrapher, who later were released, were forced by the bandits to break the lock on the bank door and aid in blowing up the wault.

Is Expected Here

the March term of district court Friday in the southeast portion of the state. Skies here today were thickly

overcast with some fog prevalent.
Wind today was in the north. The
7 a. m. reading was 34 degrees, four
degrees less than on Friday. The
river stage remained at 2.6 feet.

Hoover Plans Vacation in South After Congressional Session Ends

WASHINGTON, D. C .- (INS)- the world economic depression, the

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(INS)—
Baring development of last-minute legislative snarl which would
force an extra session of congress,
the end of the first week in March
will find President Hoover on his
way south for a brief period of
game fishing in Florida waters
and a much-needed rest.

Tentative arrangements are in
the making which call for a repetition of last year's jaunt to Long
Key, famous fisherman's base on
the Florida Keys midway between
Miami and Key West.

The president is sorely in need
of a rest, his aides and his physicians have advised him, and to
that end the trip is being planned.
In the hectic first two years of
his administration—encompassing

COUNTY UNIT ENDORSED BY UPPER HOUSE

Auditor, Treasurer, Supervisors to Appoint

DES MOINES, Ia.-(INS)-The county assessor bil passed the senate today by a vote of 29 to 17. The measure provides for the The measure provides for the appointment of the assessor by the county board of supervisors; county auditor and county treasurer. The county assessor bill passed The measure carried the names of Senators Patterson, of Kossuth, of Linn, and Rigby of Cedar.

How They Voted

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Those voting for the measure.
Senators Bennett, Benson, Bissell,
Blackford, Carroll, Clarke of Cerro
Gordo, Clark of Linn, Clark on
Marion, Clearman, Cole, Cooney,
Frailey, Gunderson, Hager, Hieklin, Ickis, Kimberly, Lowe, MacDonald, McLeland, Moen, Myers,
Patterson Quirk, Rigby, Ritchie,
Stevens, Wenner, White.

Those voting no were: Anderson,
Beatty, Carden, Christopher, Coykendall, Doran, Hill, Irwin, Kemp,
Klemme, Knudson, Leonard, Stanley, Stoddard, Tabor, Popping, Wilson.

Those excused from the cardial

Son.
Those excused from the session:
Baird, Booth, Cochrane, Langfitt.
Under the measure- passed the
county assessor shall be appointed
on or before Jan. 1, 1932, and will
serve for a term of four years.

Will Have Deputies

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He will receive a salary equal to that of the county auditor in the county in which he is appointed.

Deputy assessors are to be selected whenever the need arises. They will be appointed in the same manner as the first assessor and will serve only so long as they are needed to assist in the work.

Citizens of Iowa are to be required to file reports of their personal and real property to the county assessor much in the same way as personal income tax re-

way as personal income turns are filed under the

turns are flied times statute.

The measure went through the senate with surprisingly little debate. The chief discussion was centered on the amendment offered by Senator Kundson of Hamilton who proposed that the assessors be elected and serve only for two years. for two years.
This amendment was rejected.

All Voters Must Be Registered by 9 P. M. Saturday

All voters of Muscatine who desire to register a choice in the coming election, March 2, and are still unregistered in accordance with the city's registration ordinance, have but three more days to qualify before the registration closes Saturday night at 9 p. m. Floyd McKinney, city recorder, will keep his office, on the second floor of the city hall, open from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Friday al. 1 Saturday to accommodate all those wishing to register at the last moment. All voters who have changed their residence, their mame through marriage or divorce, or have reached the legal voting age within the last year, must register.

One registration is all that is necessary providing you vote regularly and do not change your name or address.

According to Mr. McKinney there are still a large number of citizens who have not as yet registered and all are urged to register not later than 9 p. m. Saturday when the registration closes. All voters of Muscatine who de-

Auto Speed King Is Now 'Sir Malcolm'

LONDON—(INS)—Cap. Malcolm Campbell, holder of the world's automobile speed record, is now Sir Malcolm Campbell.

It was officially announced to-day that the kink, on the recom-mendation of the government, has conferred a knighthood on the record holder.

With HOOVER Daily

ON FEH. 17
9 a. m.—Senator Mones (Rep.),
of New Hampahire, called to discuas veterans' loan legislation
and the appointment of a Mininter to the Netherlands.
10:30 a.m. to 12 m.—The Preaident met with his Cabinet.
(Cabinet meetings are held regularly on Tuesday and Friday of
each week).

12:15 p. m.—Veilan Bleane,
vice president of othe Oakland
Motor company, called to pay his
respects.

Motor company, caute to pay me respects.

1350 p. m.—He p re s e ntative 1350 p. m.—Re p research 1500 p. m.—Represdule, a. called to insteadnee a friend.

(Rep.), of Uish, called to discuss n personal matter.

Remainder of day—Engaged with secretarial staff and in anaveriar correspondence.

MATERIAL FOR

PIPE LINE IS

Labor of Unloading

Supplies Is Now

Under Way

The Pacific Bridge company

The Pacific Bridge commany, whose main offices are in Portland, Ore., has the contract for laying the pipe under the river and the low lands on either side. It will lay the pipe for a distance of about 22 miles. Two 18 inch pipe will be laid on land and six 12 inch pipes will be placed under the river. The work is expected to be convicted.

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Illicit' Hit With

Repartee and Wit At Palace Theater

Clever repartee, wit and remarkable acting are paramount in "Illicit" the comedy-drama of modern love and marriage now playing at the Fox Palace theater.

the Fox Palace theater.

Barbara Stanwyck as the girl.
who defied convention for the sake
of love and James Rennie as the
lover with their rapid dialogue
keep you on the alert to avoid missing either the humorous or the

Charles Butterworth as "Georg-ie" is a scream. A natural born comedian and no one could deny it. It seems remarkable that any actor can keep his audience in hys-terics everytime he makes an ap-nearance and continue to resent a

pearance and continue to present a solemn face through all the hilar-

ious scenes.

And so, the villain enters, in the person of Ricardo Cortez. He is the "would-be" suitor of Anne Vincent, played by Miss Stanwyck. An audience payer likes the willets but

audience never likes the villain but you can't help but admire the suave

nore serious situation

ious scenes.

BEING PLACED

DECIDE COUNTY ROAD PROGRAM

Construction Work to Be Undertaken in 8 Townships

Continuance of the three-year road construction program started last year, by locating, draining and putting in proper size culverts in eight townships during the year 1931, was voted by the board of supervisors Wednesday upon recommendations by County Enpoy. mmendations by County En-er F. P. G. Halbfass. No sur-

acing work is planned.

Last year the county engineering lepartment completed construction work on 13.7 miles of Class & local roads in Moscow, Fulton, Mont-

work on 13.7 miles of Class A local roads in Moscow, Fulton, Montpeller, Seventy-Six, Cedar, Orono, Pruitland and Sweetland townships. This included the building of a bridge over a slough in Fruitland township and a road location job in Sweetland township.

To Continue Program
Continuing the program, the county will some time during the coming spring carry out road building work in Pike, Wapsinonoc, Goshen, Wilton, Sweetland, Bloomington, Lake and Fruitland townships. All of the work is to be done with county equipment and done with county equipment and the use of day labor. When the work is finished, the county will have completed construction jobs in

was adopted last year, approx-imately twenty-one and a half miles of unbuilt dirt roads were miles of unbuilt dirt roads added to the county system. added to the county system. Work on these roads will now be started with the idea of receiving bids on the following roads: road F, leading north out of Fruitland; one mile on road R, leading west out of West Liberty: road A, leading east from Cranston, and the extension of road X in Seventy-Six township. The proposed work will be done as rapidly as weather conditions will permit.

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Plan Culvert Work

Arrangements were made with Ned Burroughs, contractor, to place large rocks at the outlet of 33 culverts in the county where stream beds have been scoured out. An average of three tons of rock will be placed, the work to be done under a flat price agreement between the contractor and the board. The rock is to be hauled and placed at a cost of \$3.25 per ton.

Plans were also made by the board and the engineer to blade grade approximately 10 miles of local roads scattered over the county, as a part of the maintenance work outlined for the year.

COURT DECIDES COOK ELECTED

Uninitialed Ballots Are Problem in Sheriff Suit

E. R. Cook, present sheriff of Clinton county, was re-elected to office over his opponent, Joe M. Donlon, who contested the elecaccording to an opinion re-ed here today by Judge D. V. son, before whom the case was

In his ruling, Judge Jackson declared Cook elected by a majority
of one vote, providing 16 uninitialed
ballots cast in the election are included in the count. Without counting the uninitialed ballots, Cook re-

ximately 16,000 votes were Approximately 16,000 votes wera cast in the election, and when the contest came up for a hearing there was a difference of 25 votes between the candidates. Donlon claimed the election on the demo-

personally examining, comparing and classifying the disputed ballots.

Not Tampered With
The main dispute between the two candidates for election was the question whether the ballots had been so preserved as to warrant a recount. In ruling on this issue, Judge Jackson stated that to all appearances, the ballots had been reserved with the reasonable care required by law in a manner to show anything but groundless suspicion that they had been the ballots disclosed nothing to indicate that they were returned to the Clinton county auditor following the election, he declared.

Copies of the opinion were sent.

Cedar Farm Bureau Meeting Postponed

School pupils will present the program when the Moscow township bureau meets tonight at the North Prairie school.

Administration of

Administration of
Absentee's Estate
Is Sought by Son
Petition for letters of administration in the estate of Frederick Hess, who disappeared from his home here fifteen years ago, was filed in district court here today by Harry G. Hess, his son. Hess, who Harry G. Hess, his son. Hess, who harry G. Hess obtained a divorce from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld. There are from the missing man in 1915 in the underworld and the scapades in the scapades in the scapades in the underworld and the scapades in the s

Improvement was reported today the condition of Abraham Kon in the condition of Abraham Kon-teor of Davenport and W.G. Brown of Liberty, N. C. who were removed to Hershey hospital following an automobile accident on route No. 61 near Muscatine Wednesday. The two men were injured when the automobile in which they were rid-ting plured into a ditch and rolled

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pound, who attended the annual convention of the Iowa Retail Clothiers' association in Des Moines this week have returned home. Mr. and Mrs. George Meerdink, "ho also attended the convention, are expected to return late this afternoon or Friday.

Firemen of the No. 1 station answered a still alarm at 7:15 o'clock last night when a chimney fire occurred at the home of C. M. Mason, 105 Holly street. was no damage.

James H. Craig of Kansas City, former president of the Kansas City Better Business bureau, spoke at a meeting of the Thompson Motor Corporation stockholders at Hotel Muscatine Wednesday eve-

The condition of H. F. Larsen, 1304 Smalley avenue, who has been confined to his home for several days by illness, was reported somewhat improved today.

A. F. Grensing, president of the A. P. Grensing, president of the Iowa Sheet Metal company, has returned from the western district conference of undertakers and embalmers, which he attended the first part of this week, in Omaha.

Hog receipts in Muscatine today totalled 100 head. All were received from farmers in this vicinity.

Although the quota of \$1,000 set for the Muscatine county Red Cross chapter by the national organization in its drive for aid to drought area needy, has been reached, funds are still coming into the local office, it was reported by F. M. Ziegler, chairman. The total amount received so far is \$1,032.66.

Women of the Bloomington township division of the Farm Bureau met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Oostendorp for study of the fourth lesson on "Meal Planning for the Whole Family." Today's meeting on the same subject was held with Mrs. E. L. Moeller of Fulton township.

One hundred seats for the Muscatine-Ottumwa basketball game at Ottumwa Friday night are being reserved for local fans, it was announced today. Anyone wishing to reserve a seat for the game are asked to call the local high school office or H. Van Hettinga, principal, at his home tonight.

tween the candidates. Donlon claimed the election on the demo-cratic ticket.

Judge Jackson was asked to rule on the markings of 178 ballots which formed the greater part of the evidence. Much time was devoted by the court in the task of nue, Ford pickup.

turned to the Clinton county auditor following the election, he declared.

Copies of the opinion were sent to Clinton today.

John Fuller, 409 Park avenue, who underwent an operation at Hershey hospital yesterday, is reported today as improving.

Death Summons G. Rausch, Relative ported today as improving.

Bids for Tractor

Called by County Due to conflicting events, the gular monthly meeting of the ledar township division of the luscatine County Farm Bureau, theduled for Friday night at ranston, has been indefinitely extronged.

Chuckle Producer

In A-Muse-U Film

Many Optimists Found In VISITORS AT 'Jungles' Here by Writer

ungle cook, I'm the best there is."

automobile accident on route No. 61 near Muscatine Wednesday. The two men were injured when the automobile in which they were riding plunged into a ditch and rolled over as an attempt was made by Mr. Konteor, driver of the machine. to avoid a crash with a truck.

Little improvement in the condition of W. B. Hart, 209 East Fifth street, is reported today. Mr. Hart was removed from his home to Hershey hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pound, who attended the annual convention of the Iowas Retail Clothiers' association in Des Moines this weak. eaten a thing since yesterday morn-

ing and I was beginning to feel a little weak for the want of food. "When I went in the door and asked for Miss Weeks, Miss Weeks said 'Miss Weeks is out and not ex-pected back until evening.' I sat Plans for the entertainment to be provided by Marquis, the magician, under sponsorship of the local Hi-Y club in the high school Tuesday evening, were discussed at a meeting of the club at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. We'inesday.

Attructure Trylandt, evalted ruler of set it.

Afthur Umlandt, exalted ruler of the Elks, left by car for Ottumwa at noon today to attend a conference of the Elks. He was accompanied by his mother. Mrs. Henry Umlandt, his cunt, Mrs. Bruno Mohnssen and Mrs. Harold Baughn. The party while in Ottumwa will visit with Mrs. Clarence Krang and other relatives. They expect to re-

one of them answer.

"The machine age, they will never give employment to all these unemployed again until they shorten the working hours to a six-hourday. They have found too many machines to take the place of man," another said.

mother said.
"Why don't you fellows go south where the climate is more suitable for living outdoors?" was my next

to the of-if it was not the best of board and fice the first thing I had to do was

General Butler to Quit Marine Corps to Take Up Lecture Work MRS. DORAN DIES

CLEVELAND—(INS)—Maj. Gen. Smedley G. Butler, for a decade hailed as the "stormy petrel" of the United States marines corps, will give up his commission in the marines next fall, it was learned here today.

The general will ask to be placed on the retirement list, and will devote his time to the lecture platform, it was announced, after the colorful marine made an unexpected visit to Cleveland.

Announcement of Gen. Butler's intention to give up his commission was made by Louis J. Alber, manager of a lecture bureau, who was in conference with the picturesque general during his visit of the retirement list, and will devote his time to the lecture platform, it was announced, after the colorful marine made an unexpected visit to Cleveland.

Announcement of Gen. Butler's

ALBERS STORE SCENE OF RAID

Owner Held to Grand Jury on Liquor Complaint

Fred B. Albers, proprietor of "The Cheap Store" at 207 West Second street, waived preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace H. D. Horst on a charge of main-

Rausch, Relative

News of the death of Gustave Rausch in Randolph, Wis., has been received by relatives here. He was a nephew of Mrs. R. P. Utter and Jesse Stephens of this city. Mr. Rausch was well known in this vicinity and has many relatives around Columbus Junction.

He article in the guests enjoyed demonstration of a slide machine WOC-WHO Favored For 25,000 Watts was well known in this vicinity and has many relatives around Columbus Junction.

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and two step-sons, Darwin and Delmer O'Brien.

At funeral services held recently in Randolph, the Loyal Order of Moose, of which Mr. Rausch was a member attended in a body and look the first part of the burial services. The Beaver Dam post of the American Legion also attended in a body and took the closing burial service in full military form.

Ontario produced gold worth more than \$33,380,000 last year, a high record.

More Help Secured

In Financial Drive

Eight additional local men have signified their willingness to assist the Salvation Army in its annual drive for funds, which will be held next week. They are: the Rev. Ira Hawley, E. V. Waltman, B. C. Samble of the control of the co

TURNER NAMED

BY LAWMAKERS Governor Elected to Succeed Titus As Leader

Governor Dan Turner of Iowa was elected as president of the Pioneer Lawmakers association to succeed G. M. Titus at the closing session of the twenty-second an-

session Miss Kennedy's first grade received the money.

Miss Kennedy's classes opened the exercises last evening with prayer and songs. The third grade pupils with Mrs. V. K. Harris playing the accompaniment sang, "The Eagle and the Flag," Mary Ann Block and Norma Allendanced followed by Mrs. Otto Mull danced followed by Mrs. Otto Mull ausch, Relative
Of Local Resident

danced followed by Mrs. Otto Mull
presenting a paper. Miss Margaret
Gill, school nurse, gave her report
after which the guests enjoyed a after which the guests enjoyed demonstration of a slide machin

For 25,000 Watts

around Columbus Junction.

He enlisted in the United States army Sept. 18, 1917 and was given an honorable discharge on July 26, 1919. He was gassed during his service in France and this brought service in France and this brought stations is WOC-WHO. Davenport and Des Moines, and WGN, Chi-Ruth O'Brien in Randolph on June 29, 1921. Surviving besides the widow are son, daughter Shirley and two step-sons, Darwin and Del-

VISITORS AT KTNT ...

c. Stutt, Solon, Ia.
codore Manning, Solon, Ia.
and Mrs. O. L. Whitehead, Livl, Ill.
and Mrs. Everette Bull, Liver-

ol, Ill. M. Kelley, Oxford, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Popham, Par-ell, Ia. Clarence Humphry, North English, Clarence Humphry, North Mrs. Carrena English, I. Esselring, Victor, Ia. Melvin Kesselring, Victor, Ia. Ray Kinsinger, Kalona, Ia. I. E. Barr, Davenport, Ia. F. F. Lange, Davenport, Ia.

APPOINT BOARD **OF APPRAISERS**

Damage in Drainage District No. 1 to Be Decided

Appointment of B. L. Metcalf of Appointment of B. L. Metcari of Nichols, Wilmet Hendricks of Seventy-Six township, and Vale Thompson of Wapello as a board of appraisers to determine the extent of damage claimed by twelve property owners in drainage dis-rict No. 1, was announced today by Kenneth Coder, county auditor.

Thompson was selected as a disinterested engineer in making the appraisals.

Plans for the widening, cleaning out, deepening and extending of the ditch in the drainage area were tentatively adopted by the board of supervisors last Saturday, at a meeting attended by many objectors to the project. The appraisers are to report their findings to the board not later than five days of supervisors last Saturday, at a meeting attended by many objectors to the project. The appraisers are to report their findings to the board not later than five days before the final hearing which is to be held on March 14x Twelve damage claims are on file at the office of the auditor.

AFTER OPERATION

Mrs. James Doran of Wilton ownship, who had lived practically er entire life in Muscatine coun-y, died at Bellevue hospital Wed-

township, who had lived practically her entire life in Muscatine county, died at Bellevue hospital Wednesday afternoon. Death followed an operation for appendicitis performed Tuesday.

Miss Frances White was born in Cedar County, Aug. 24, 1896 and when a small child moved with her parents to Muscatine county. She was married to James Doran in Wilton on Oct. 29, 1918.

Surviving are the widower, her father, Will White of Muscatine, one brother, Walter White of Atalissa, and two sisters, Mrs. Leo Weiskamp and Mrs. Louis Ruess, both of West Liberty.

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a. m. Saturday from St. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a. m. Saturday from St. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a. m. Saturday from St. Mary's church in Wilton. Burial was in the Greenwood cemetry with the Rev. Viola Smith officiating.

Pallbearers were Jacob Stellrecht, Millard Mills, Frank Mucha, George The rosary will be said after de-

tating. The rosary will be said after derotionals Friday evening at the nome in Wilton township. **Tobias Fined for**

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The funeral for Mrs. M. Boruff, of near Buffalo Prairie, Ill., was held at 2 p. m. today in the residence with the Rev. J. B. Rendall, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in charge. Burial was in the Reynolds cemetery.

A metal rack to hold their clothing has been invented to teach children the habit of neatness.

Of the more than 20,000,000 residents of French Indo-China only about 24,000 are Europeans.

LOCAL LAD DIES OF APPENDICITIS

Robert Allen Jackson, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Jackson, 119 Earl avenue, died at Hershey hospital at 6:15 a. m. today. Death was caused by appen-dicitis. He had been ill since

dicitis. He had been ill since
Feb 13 of this year.
The deceased was born in Joy.
Ill., May 28, 1915, but has lived in
this city for the past 14 years. He
attended the Franklin school.
Surviving besides the parents
are two brothers. Guy Jackson of
Davenport and Clifford Jackson of
Muscatine, two sisters, Mrs. Opal
Clark of Davenport and Miss Dorothy Jackson of Muscatine.
Funeral services will be held
Saturday at 1 p. m. but no additional arrangements have been onal arrangements have been ade as yet. The body was taken om the Hoffman Funéral home to the family residence this after-

School Pupils to Compete at Iowa Nine Meet Friday

Three students in the local high school declamatory class will represent the city at the Iowa Nine meet in Davenport Friday, it was announced by Miss H. Margaret Kemble, declamatory coach of the while schools today. They are public schools today. They are Dorothy Beitel in the oratorical class; Mariam Chamberlain in the

Frank B. Morehead, Coast City Lawyer, Visits Sister Here

Frank B. Morehead former local Frank B. Morehead former local lice were absolutely right in raidresident but now an attorney at
Los Angeles, is visiting his sister,
Mrs. Lulu Danner, 209 West Sixth,
street, his father and brother,
the censor testified to her keen
hearing and good eye sight yesterday and said she had sai
through the show three times. She
found very, very many things that
full workpad has been practic.

Take the "green hillside" scene,

Take the "green hillside" scene,

Pallbearers were Jacob Stellrecht,
Millard Mills, Frank Mucha, George
McCaffrey, Louis Herwig and Edward Costello. Flower girls were
Mrs. Maude McCaffrey and Mrs.
Alice Mucha.

DISTRICT COURT

Disturbing Peace The final report of Reva A. Stell-



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J. D. BALLOU

With Sick Friends At the Hospitals

The superintendent reported no

new cases for the Free Press to-The superintendent reported no new cases for the Free Press today.

Mrs. E. Shook, a patient at the Baker hospital, was visited Wednes-day by E. Shook and Louis Shook of Montezuma, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Crawford, Mrs. Lula Crawford and Jack Craw-ford, all of Winfield, Ia., are visit-ors at the Baker hospital Wednesday, calling on Mrs. R. Hunt, a

Work of unloading material and equipment for construction of the pipe line from the Mississippi river blufts on the Iowa shore to those in Illinois has been started by the Pacific Bridge company. The material received so far includes 63 carloads of 18 inch pipe.

A force of 25 men is employed at the present time. As soon as the actual work of laying the pipe is under way about 150 men will be on the pay roll of the company. With the exception of skilled laborers all of the additional force will be local men, it was announced today by a representative of the concern. New patients admitted to the Baker hospital Wednesday are Mrs. Clarence Barr of De Witt, a... Clara Kucera of Solon, Ia., and Mrs. R. H. Rockafellow of West

'SKETCH BOOK

Carroll Show Shocking, Woman Tells Court

CHICAGO— (INS) — Testimony that the costumes are too brief and the dialogue too racy in Earl Carroll's "Sketch Book" was expected to be disputed today in Judge Justin F. McCarthy's court, where 26 chorus girls and three principals are being tried on the charge of staging an "indecent performance."

Leave to be completed A representative of the company who is now in Muscatine announced to the same and thought the grant to the source of the source of the same and the source of the same and the sa

rany, has the contract for the laying of the pipe from Ardon to Knoxville, a distance of about 190 miles. One 24 inch pipe will be placed in this district. Cross examination of Miss Effie Zigler, chairman of the motion picture censorship board, was a promised high-light of today's session. Miss Zigler, on the stand yesterday, said she believed the police were absolutely right in raiding the show last week. This company will employ some 250 men all, with the exception of stand office workers, machine of the poand other skilled laborers, will be residents of this vicinity.

The length of time it will take to complete this section of the work depends entirely upon the weather conditions, it is reported.

Take the "green hillside" scene, for example, she said. "The chorus girls," Miss Zigler announced, "lay back on a grass; hillside. They crossed one leg ove another and waved their legs. All

GUILTY PLEAS

Pleas of guilty were entered in district court before Judge D. V. Jackson today by Frank. Adams, charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance, and Oscar Jamison, charged with grand larceny. Both were arraigned on information filed by County Attorney Harold E. Wilson.

Adams, who was arrested during Adams, who was arrested during a raid upon a rooming house at 426 1-2 East Second street last Thursday, was fined \$300 and sentenced to serve three months in the county jail.

Jamison pleaded guilty to stealing a load of corn from B. F. Metcalf of Nichols. Sentence was not imposed this morning.

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SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES and HELPFUL HINTS for the WOMEN

Birthdays Are Commemorated at D. of U. V. Party

The Daughters of Union Veter-ans were hosts at a banquet at the Protestant Evangelical church Wednesday and the society editor of the Free Press considered it not

of the Free Press considered it not only an honor but a privilege to be invited to attend the party.

The affair was to commemorate the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington and the guests included war veterans, their wives and widows as guests. Other guests were Mrs. Marian Hall of Davenport, past department president; Mrs. Pearl R. Clapp of Fairfield, department president of Iowa, Commander Worth of the G. A. R. post at Davenport and Comrade Brown of Davenport, Chief of Staff of Iowa the Department of the G. A. R.

The dining room of the church was effectively decorated in patriotic colors. Flags appropriately arranged made a fitting setting for the affair. Miniature flags at each place served as favors.

Following the invocation by the Rev. K. M. Jeschke, pastor of the church, Mrs. Margaret Allen, president of the organization, welcomed the group. Mrs. Laura Runyon, as toastmistress, introduced Comrade Corbin, Commander of the local G.

toastmistress, introduced Comrade Corbin, Commander of the local G. A. R., who spoke in behalf of the soldiers and their appreciation of the affair. At his recommendation the veterans gave a rising vote of thanks to the women. Mrs. Clapp then gave an impressive toast to "Our Fathers." Comrade Hoffman "Our Fathers." Comrade Hoffman responded with a speech of appreciation of the daughters and their objectives. He thanked them for perpetuating the ideals, history and sentiment of the Union.

The Rev. Jeschke spoke, stressing the popular sentiment felt toward the immortal Abraham Lincoln.

coin.

The veterans enjoyed a time reminiscing on individual experiences in enlisting for the Civil war and Commander Worth fittingly closed the program with his ac-

and Commander Worth fittingly closed the program with his account of the difficulties encountered when he joined the army because of his youth.

Covers laid for other special guests were: Commander and Mrs. Corbin, Comrade and Mrs. Hoffman, Comrade Schott, Comrade Hilton, Comrade Eichoff and Comrade Giesler.

Mrs. Stein Is Hostess

Mrs. Lena Stein entertained members of the June club at her home, 209½ West Second street, Wednesday afternoon. The ten participants enjoyed the afternoon socially and later refreshments

were served.

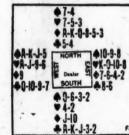
In two weeks Mrs. Tens Ruthenberg will be hostess to the group at the home of her daughter, Mrs.

William Mittman, 611 Monroe

Bridge-Auction and Contract

By the Authority MILTON C. WORK

SOUND BIDDING



cause of variations in the bid, the above hand produced a ding, the above hand produced a variety of scores in a Duplicate Contract session held recently. At all the tables South opened with a bid of ohe Club. At one table West, with the Clubs stopped twice, bid No Trump; there was no other bid and West was defeated as North ran six Diamonds and then put South in to make two Clubs. At another table West bid one Spade, North three Diamonds, East passed, and South, who was forced to bid by his partner's jump-shift, was afraid of three No Trumps, so he tried four Clubs. West doubled, hoping that East could double the four Diamonds which was sure to follow; but East did not dare to do so and neither did West. Of course North was set, but that was a big gain compared to what happened at the tables where East and West bid their hands corpectly.

West's sound declaration was to double South's initial one Club in the hope of getting a major answer from East, which he would do if East should have four cards of either major. If East should answer with a Diamond, West would be in a position to bid for game in No Trump as he has the Clubs stopped twice. Even with West idoubling, it still would be advantageous for North to bid three Diamonds in a desperate attempt to shut East out. But East, with

doubling, it still would be advantageous for North to bid three Diamonds in a desperate attempt to shut East out. But East, with four Hearts headed by a King-Queen-Ten and a doubling parner, would size up the double as chaving been made with atrong majors and consequently would bid three Hearts; and West would make the game-bid of four. It will be seen that all North and South a can make against a Heart contract is two Clubs and one Diamond. It is important that informatory doubles should not be made without great strength, so that the spartner of the doubler can answer optimistically.

three Hearts would stand. (Copyright, 1931)

Acquitted of Stealing Rug



Mary Nolan, film actress, today was free of petty theft charges, preferred against her by Lambert H. Hillyer, from whom the actress had rented a house in Beverly Hills, Calif. Hillyer claired a \$200 rug was missing when the actress gave up the house. Miss Nolan told the court she put the rug in the laundry bag by mistake.

Miss Lawrence Is Complimented

Miss Dalles Lawrence, who will marry Harry Tiecke, Jr., March 26, was complimented last evening at a pre-nuptial party at which Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mrs. Lawrence Williams presided at the home of the former, 210 West Eighth street.

Five hundred formed the pleasure of the guests and prizes were of the guests and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Melvin Diercks and Mrs. Merle Rabedeaux.

At the conclusion of the game At the conclusion of the game a two-course luncheon was served. Places were appointed for twelve at the table attractive with its centerpiece a miniature bride and groum. Rainbow ribbon streamers extended from the center to each place with the placeards attach. place with the placecards attach-ed. Rainbow colors were used throughout the decorations.

Eldon Lange Is Complimented

Mrs. J. G. Blose and grandson, Eldon Francis Lange, of Johnstown, Pa., are the guests at the former's mother, Mrs. J. K. Wilkens, 1003 Lucas street.

Yesterday the little boy celebrated his seventh birthday and physrasy at a party given of the

niversary at a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wil-kens, 1005 Lucas street. Four gen-rations of the family were pro-Rens, 1005 Lucas street. Four generations of the family were present including: Mrs. Blose, Mrs. J. K. Wilkens, Mrs. Esther Lange and son, Eldon, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wilkens and daughter, Jean Vivian, William Figg and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welch.

A four course dinner was served Members of the L

Relief Corp to Give Program

Miss Eva Reed will be in charge of patriotic instruction at the party to be held by the Relief Corp at Maccabee hall tomorrow afternoon. The affair will be in celebration of the birthdays of Lincoln, Washington and McKinley.

Special guests at the affair will be Comrades and their wives and they will enjoy the following program:

Opening song Arcelies to the control of Give Dinner Miss Eva Reed will be in charge

Opening song—America by the

The Life of Abraham Lincoln— The Rev. J. B. Rendall. Whistling solo—Mrs. Carl Hou-

dek. Life of McKinley—Dr. Julia Warner. Vocal solo—Robert Leysen.

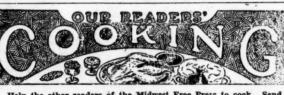
Reading—Jean Moore. Closing song — Star Spangled Refreshments will be served after

Club Members Enjoy

Weekly Party Members of the Geneva Golf and Country club enjoyed their weekly dinner and bridge party at the club last evening. After dinner the game was played at four tables with high scores won by Mrs. Louise Dillaway and Mr. Charles Nyen-bute.

sauce over the eggs and enough over the rice to slightly moisten it.

GEE! I CAN'T GO BACK ON



Help the other readers of the Midwest Free Press to cook. Send in the recipes you like best, sign your name, and address, and they will be gladly published. onion in a sauce pan with a table-spoon butter and cook until the onion is a light yellow. Add an even tablespoon cornstarch, mixed with 1-2 tablespoon curry powder, then MENU FOR FRIDAY

BREAKFAST: Grape Juice, ereal with Cream, Codfish Cakes, omato Sauce, Bran Muffins, Coffee.
LUNCHEON: Carried Eggs,
Wholewheat Rolls, Celery, Orange
Marmalade, Tea.
DINNER: Filet of Sole, Tartar
Sauce, French Fried Potatoes,
Cole Slaw, Lemon Meringue Ple,
Coffee.

1-2 tablespoon curry powder, then
stir in slowly 1 1-2 cups milk. Let
it cook until the starch is clear,
and pepper and salt and strain it.
The sauce should be very yellow
smooth and not thick. Place the
sauce over the eggs and enough

BREAKFAST:

Bran Muffins
Two cups bran, 2 cups flour, 4
teaspoons baking powder, pinch of
salt, 1-3 cup sugar, 1 egg. 1-3 cup
molasses, 2 cups milk, generous
piece of butter, melted. Mix in
order given. Egg need not be
beaten. Bake in fairly hot oven 20
minutes, or until done. Because
of the molasses the oven can't be
too hot or they will burn. too hot or they will burn.

Lemon Meringue Pie
One coffee cup sugar, 3 eggs, 1
cup water, 1 tablespoon melted
butter, 1 heaping tablespoon flour,
the juice and a little of the rind of
1 lemon. Cook first a few minnutes in a double boller. Fill pie
and bake 35 or 40 minutes. Reserve
the white of eggs, and after pie is
baked beat them until stiff. Add
1 tablespoon of sugar. Spread
over top and put in oven to brown
a light brown.

Curried Eggs

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At Auction the bidding should be asme, except that East's bid of hee Hearts would stand.

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Curried Eggs

Poil the eggs hard. Mold some rice into a form resembling a nest. Place it on the hot shelf to keep warm. Place a teaspoon chopped

Club President Announces Her Committees

Mrs. Margaret Allen, president of the Daughters of Union Veterans announces the committees for the for the Visiting: Runyon, announces the committees for the ensuing year as follows: Visiting: North Muscatine, Jaura Runyon, Susan-Barry, Clara Bowser and Elizabeth Fisher; West Hill, Julia Bitzer, Margaret Litchcock, Ollie Beardsley and Grace Hahn: Beardsley and Grace Haili, Hill, Lorena Thatcher, Laura Dow-dal, Jeanette Fulliam and Ruby Black; South Muscatine, Daisy Hill, Lorena Thatcher, Laura Dowdal, Jeanette Fulliam and Ruby Black; South Muscatine. Daisy Simpson, Laura Wickey, Margaret Lang and Charlotte McKee: Relief: Daisy Simpson, Lelia Ripson and Zillah O'Hair. Work: Nellie Whittaker, Lorena Thatcher, Julia Bitzer and Marjorje Bowser. Floral: Margaret Lang, Lorena Thatcher and Marjorie Bowser. Birthday: Coralyn Bierman, Margaret Ailen.

Resolutions: Zillah O'Hair and Julia Bitzer
Refreshments: Marjorie Bowser.

Refreshments: Marjorie Bowser, Julia Bitzer and Ada Talkington. Aides: Clara Bowser and Laura

Pleasant Affair at Christensen Home

A group of friends pleasantly surprised Mrs. W. H. Christensen in honor of her birthday Wednes-day evening at her nome, 417 Begg day evening at her home, 417 Begg street. The evening was spent informally followed by refreshments served later in the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jensen and son Hilbert of Atalisas: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartung. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spickler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spickler, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Soukup. Miss Esther Mrs. Louis Soukup, Miss Esther and Thomas Downey, all of Musca-

Church Group Meets

Mrs. Arthur Lindley and Mrs. Henry Liebbe were hostesses to members of the Ladies' Aid society of Grace Lutheran church in the or Grace Lutheran church in the church parlors Wednesday. There were 40 members in attendance. Mrs. Mary Lang and Mrs. Harry Leedy will entertain the group next

The Ladies of the Protestan Evangelical church will give a potgroup.
"Washington the Trustworthy
Statesman"—The Rev. R. W. Merrifield.
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Specialist Will **Hold School for** 4-H Club Leaders

miss helen Futnam, clothing specialist of the state extension department at Ames, will come to Muscatine Friday to conduct a training school for Four-H club leaders. The meeting wil be held at the court house, opening at 10 o'clock and will be open to all club leaders and committeewomen of the Farm Bureau.

But when Fritz's wire died several years ago he remembered the search at least page he remembered as search. At last he found her, a search. At last he found her, a widow.

The old courtship was renewed and Mrs. Hostler consented to wedding bells. They were married before a justice of the peace. Farm Bureau.

Among the subjects to be presented will be the cotton afternoon dress, party dresses, personal grooming, careof clothing, smocks and personal hygiene.

Former Missionary To Speak at World Prayer Observance daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert

Mrs. Henry Welch.

A four course dinner was served with a large birthday cake forming the centerpiece.

Eldon received many gifts.

Mrs. M. L. Wood of Pittsburg, and Walch, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Walch, son of Mr. and Mrs. parish hall today. A pot luck was served at noon.

Mrs. M. L. Wood of Pittsburg, and Walch, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Walch. The Rev. Father Jacobsmire performed the ceredress at the world day of prayer observance in the Grace English Lutheran church Friday. Mrs. Wood is now educational secretary where a served at noon. Wood is now educational secretary for the Board of Promotion of the Baptist denomination in western Pennsylvania.

The meeting is being sponsored by women of the protestant churches in the city. It will commence at 2:30 p.m.

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ship each has been married twice. For years they had not correspond-

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WESTERN FRONT"

Half-Century Ago

Shades of Brown To be Smartest Spring Colors

By ALICE LANGELIER PARIS—The browns are going to have it in spring colors, if one can

turiers.

And this means many shades of brown, from the very dark tete de negre to cafe au lait, and beige la also coming into its own, with the rosy teiges and those with yellowish tints predominating. Mahogany-brown is also being shown in some of the early hats.

Black, the ever-popular, seems

Black, the ever-popular, seems to be slowly fading from the fore-ground of fashion, but will it stay there, that is the big question?
Worth predicts that dark blue is fire. Black, the ever-popular, seems to be slowly fading from the fore-ground of fashion, but will it stay there, that is the big question? Worth predicts that dark blue is going to replace it to a large extent and is using a great deal of it for new spring suits combined with white blouses of georgette, lace, batiste, etc. This designer finds that dark blue is the most distinguished and elegant of all the dark shades.

There are also a variety of new light blues but not the too-popular turquoise which has had its day.

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Soft neglect the farmington.

"Marie Harrington."

Celia dropped the letter into the fire.

"So that finishes the Harring-ton."

To the farmington."

Celia dropped the letter into the fire.

"So that finishes the Harring-ton."

All that day she remained in the house, steeling herself against the nouse, steeling herself against the nouse is the world.

Gewen Burns called during the afternoon and urged her to go for a drive.

"You'll make yourself sick, staying in the house like this," and then flows of the savings.

"Hot Vall today. I shan't—truy unless I send for him."

"But you will send for him."

"But you will send for him."

"Her trusseau had taten host of the fire.

Mrs. Drew came down for diner. The special of the fire.

"No, mother, I haven't heard trouse her avery becought cella, who call the fire.

"Ill and the verification."

"Ill and the verification in the house like this," and the though to the living-room fire, where she had her truy.

Her s

Herta Rittel, the little blonde girl who came from her native Vienna in hope of marrying her "sugar doggie," Conant H. Hatch, millionaire iron manufacturer of St. Joseph, Mich., didn't even get sympathy in New York supreme court. For Justice Townley not only denied her the \$250,000 she asked in her breach of promise

because the said ne beneved says when all the time that "Sugar" Doggie," as she called him in letters, already had a wife at home. And "Honey Horsey," as Herta said Hatch called her, had no proof that "Sugar Doggie" ever promised to marry her, the justice ruled.

chearts of 55 years ago, Francis L. Fritz, 73, of Greenfield, and Mrs. Sarah Margaret Hostler, 66, of Cleveland; O., have at last started married life together. Since the half-century-old court-CLASSIFIED ADS can fill your needs quickly. Why not let them do it?

Walch, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a gown of turquoise, blue and a cream-tan hat.

The bridesmaid was attired in a frock of pale rose and a cream-tan hat.

Mrs. Walch is a graduate of St. Mary's school and for the past year was employed by the People's Trust and Savings bank. ed. But when Fritz's wife died sev-

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A Husband at Her Heels - By Mildred Barbour - -

"Sincerely
"Marie Harrington."
Celia dropped the letter into the

Calla dropp.

The constraint of the dark of the constraint of the

Great Fun

fy, your

FREYERMUTH'S

OAK LAWN GOLF COURSE

The morning's mail brought a letter for Celia. It was written on heavy buff stationery, with a sprawling "H" embossed in one corner.

As she tore open the per heavy to the corner to th

turned home for dinner with the turned home for dinner with the firm resolution to face the situation boildly on the following day. An examination of her bank-account helped to strengthen that resolution. There were no two ways about it—she must find work. Her trousseau had taken most of her savings.

the revolving Draw Bridge and the Windmill on the "Oak Lawn" Golf Course! Come out to see about our tournament rules. If you qual-ify, your tournament games are FREE.

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SAT. NITE Lively Widow See the Fun

SUNDAY Winnie Lightner Joe E. Brown in "Sit Tight"

-By PGP MOMAND

Eddie Followed Instructions "KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"



LISTEN, STUPID, GOLLY! I CAN'T SEE THIS HELENA HAMBURGER RUIN EDDIE'S WHOLE LIFE. I PROMISED TO HELP EDDIE - AND I WILL THE OL' LADY CAN LUMP IT!



I'LL HOP OVER AND SEE HOW HE MADE OUT WHEN HE CALLED ON HELENA, AS I ADVISED HIM TO DO! I HOPE HE FOLLOWE MY INSTRUCTIONS!





WHAT! CALLED ON A CERTAIN MISS HAMBURGER, AND EDDIE 13 IN SHE SMASHED A GLASS LAMP HEAD!

YES, PA, IT APPEARS HE



sWeSee It

Bar Aliens In Reapportioning

"Aliens shall be excluded from the count of the number of persons in each state in apportioning representatives in the congress among the several states according to their respective numbers.'

Such is the substance of a bill proposing a constitutional amendment which has been favorably reported by the judiciary committee of the lower house of congress. To secure the adoption of the amendment three-fourths of the state legislatures must approve the proposal which, it is estimated, will eliminate about 7,000,000 from the count.

As is well known, aliens congregate mostly in our large cities and many thousands of them make no attempt to become American citizens. A large percentage come here to work in order to amass what would be considered wealth in their native countries and then to return there. They do America no good but, on the contrary, keep many nativeborn or naturalized Americans, who make their homes here, out of jobs.

This amendment will also have a tendency to check the growing strength of our urban centers in national affairs. By reducing representation in the congested districts it will give the agricultural regions, "the backbone of the nation as well as the breadbasket," a more equal voice in our government. Strong opposition will be made by the large centers of population but its ratification by legislatures of thirty-six states, if submitted, seems probable.

Teachers Coming Here

Muscatine will be given an opportunity to advertise itself as a convention city when the Southeastern Iowa Teachers association meets here April 9 to 10. The magnitude of the convention is shown by the comprehensive program as announced by Superintendent of Schools E. A. Sparling in Wednesday's Midwest Free Press. Prominent educators from several sections of the country will be present to address the

Such meetings as these will place Muscatine on the map as a convention city if the residents cooperate in extending a cordial welcome to the city's guests. While the responsibility for the sessions rests primarily with the local instructors they should be accorded every possible assistance by the towns-people. There is no higher class of citizens than our school teachers and Muscatine has every reason to congratulate itself on being selected as the convention city this year.

They Are Passing

The last member of Post No. 1, Grand Army of the Republic, died at Los Angeles recently. He was Abram Henry Corman, who helped organize the first G. A. R. post at Decatur,

Thus we are again reminded that it will not be long before those who fought for the north in '61 to '65 will be but a memory. Those of you in middle life and beyond can recall when the G. A. R. members were as prominent in national affairs as are the Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars today. The national encampments of three to four decades ago were events that will never be forgotten by those fortunate enough to have attended them. The fife and drum were the only "jazz" instruments known in those days. The "boys" stepped lively to the tune of "Yankee Doodle," "The

JUST KIDDIES

Girl I Left Behind Me." and "Marching Through Georgia." And when that male quartet began singing "Tenting On The Old Camp Ground," scenes at Vicksburg, Gettysburg and The Wilderness were again relived.

Now the Sons and Daughters of Veterans, and those who participated in the Spanish and World wars are "carrying on." It remains for them to keep green the memories of the boys who preserved the union.

They will not fail.

Where Will It End?

For several years municipal, state and federal taxes have been increasing and the benefits for those who are taxed have been decreasing. As year has succeeded year there have been loud lamentations against high taxes, political candidates have promised reforms in their campaign speeches and then, when elected, work overtime in devising new methods of raising more taxes.

What is needed most at present is a more equitable distribution of taxes. It is notorious that many of our large industries are paying only a small part of their just share of taxes. And the farmer seems to be the "goat."

In an address at Council Bluffs recently James R. Leverett, president of the Iowa Association of Real Estate Boards, urged the passage of the county assessor bill, claiming that if the cities were compelled to pay their share of the taxes it would lighten the burden on the farmers. He cited several examples where large corporations were underassessed, which, in turn, raises the tax on farm property in order to raise the required revenue. While there is some opposition to the assessor bill the con-

clusions as they affect the farmer deserve mention. They

The real opposition to the county assessor comes from fa-

vored industries who now escape their share of the tax

The farms will be benefited to a greater extent by the fair and equal assessment of all property than by any other remedy so far proposed.

Farmers need have no fear of a county assessor appointed by the board of supervisors as a majority of the supervisors

is elected by the farmers themselves. It is just as important to have a voice in the selection of a man who will assess the other fellow as it is to elect your own

All of which is food for thought, and should be given consideration by those who believe the township unit system is

A genius is a man who can do almost anything but make a living.

Hot arguments can always be relied upon to cool warm

Don't pattern after the busy little bee. It's the other fellow that eats the honey.

Books are a wonderful help to a man-especially bank books and pocket books.

Life is a riddle that every mother's son of us must give up.

Our Platform for the People Is:

- 5. Return of river transportation 6. A cleanup of some state in
 - stitutions.
 7. More efficiency in public offices.
- 3. Universal school book. 4. Lower freight rates.



"YESTERDAY AND TODAY" There may have been a time, hen Grandfather was young, when Grandfather was young, when old age rekoned in years. But when old age rekoned in years. But today, when you stop and analyze a group of people, old age and its complaints of pains and aches, does not seem to be limited to the old folks. In fact the older ones, who had their start in the days when foods were more wholesome and nutritions seem to better physically, considering their age, than many of the younger ones.

It is true that some of the older generation have been caught up in the net of modern propaganda.

generation have been caught up in the net of modern propaganda, and in some cases, have been through the mill of modern medicine, and yet, due to their background of earlier, rugged living, they have withstood the shock and are staying with us. In their youth they lived closer to nature. Their manner of living and occuration in a leave majority of cases. in a large majority of cases,

nation, in a large majority of cases, kept them out in the open where they could breathe deeply of real, fresh, vitalizing air. They worked hard, and their hours were long, but they had good food, real food, rich in the necessary salts needed by the body.

They had their sicknesses, and what is of more importance, they turned to nature for their healing, using the simple home remedies direct from the fields and woodlands. While some of their concoctions were not very pleasant to take, they did no harm, and did not clutter up the body with harmful symptom chasers. Today modern thought is taking a mighty swing back to nature, not just in treats.

the ocean of wave-lengths emanating from KTNT, Muscatine, Ia.

The so-called "old fashioned" use of simple remedies, will, in the end, be found most in harmony with the great healing forces of

Young folks today will have to watch their step, now that they

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MAIL RATES CARRIER RATES

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By T. W. Burgess MR. QUACK TELLS HOW HE ESCAPED Mr. Quack looked pleased when sammy Jay said that he must have been smart to have escaped with a broken wing after having been shot down out of the air by a hunter with a terrible gun. Sam-

are "going on their own" as you might say. That is, they have maze of ideas to wade through, and sort over, regarding health problems. If they will only but their pride of a beautiful, sound, healthy body, above too great a measure of city entertainments, and pleasures, they will be on the read to what many heav winly and pleasures, they will be on the road to what many have vainly searched for; "the fountain of youth, and comfortable old age." Modern living has forgotten that an hour before midnight is worth two after midnight; when it comes to sleeping.

two after midnight; when it comes to sleeping.
Our great handicap against modern youth, is serums and vaccines. Now-a-days when nature does give a baby a fair start, man start meddling in childhood. and padlocks a poisoned blood stream in the child's body; producing a mass of hespectageld and ing a mass of bespectacled, and many times cripped, and organically deranged youngsters. Our Grandparents were not confused with the propaganda of modern times regarding health and tried home remedies handed u.wn. or each other. These things have been left out of modern medicine;

been left out of modern medicine; being too messy, and taking too much time to prepare.

Dr. Elmer Lee says: "To live well and be well is easy. It is to eat well, eat plenty, eat of simple, natural food. Eat of vegetable food, ripe fruit, some nuts, french bread and drink water, using good judgment as to when and how much. Work all you can, when at home at night sit in your bare feet natural food. Eat of vegetable food, ripe fruit, some nuts, french take, they did no harm, and did not clutter up the body with harmful symptom chasers. Today modern thought is taking a mighty swing back to nature, not just in ideas regarding diet, but in treatments for the most serious conditions.

Cancer can be mentioned as one disease which is being heralded around the world as a condition which is incurable, and which at best, can only be delayed, according to modern propaganda, by the X-ray—radium, and the knife.

Thougands for delays here in the food, ripe fruit, some nuts, french thead out of water. The hunter came splashing about among the rushes, and I thought surely head out of water. The hunter came splashing about among the rushes, and I thought surely would find me. Once he almost stepped on me. But he didn't see to me, and after a while he went back to his hiding place. I don't know where I suffered most—in my mind all the time was a terrible fear that I would be found. At the same time the pain in my broken wing was awful.

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"I stayed right where I was until night came, and then I swam out

Cancer can be menioned as outdident disease which is being heralded around the world as a condition which is incurable, and which at best, can only be delayed, according to modern propaganda, by the X-ray—radium, and the knife. Thousands of dollars have been appropriated, and used, in the search for a cancer cure. The claim is broadcasted that no cure has been found. This is not so. If you will search carefully, and investigate what you find for yourself, and not be misled, you will find a few places where cancer is being cured. If you will tune in carefully, with an imprejudiced mind, and ear; you will pick up some facts from the air, regarding cancer, which may surprise you especially if you happen to pick up lampe, and the yolk of an egg, will lampe, and the yolk of an egg, will lampe, and the yolk of an egg, will

The juice of two oranges, one jemon, and the yolk of an egg, will make a morning drink that will put vitality into you for hours.

Y. M. C. A. Lenten Message

CHRISTIAN SONG

(Read Luke 1:46 and 1:68-79.)

The Beautiful Book makes the Christian era to begin with a burst of song. In Acts and the Epistles there occur what seem to be snatches from early hymns. One of the earliest pagan reports about the Christians tells that they were accustomed to meet in the morning and sing hymns of praise to Christ. And the church has sung its way down through the centuries. The great revivals have borne with ress in song. What would John Wesley have been without its brother Charles? Or Moody without Shankey? How would our faith languish without its great, sweet hymns lift us as on wings: when we are wayward they recall us to memories of better days. They express our joy, they comfort our sorrow. A singing faith is secure:

us to memories of better days. They express our joy, they comfort our sorrow. A singing faith is secure; it has the victory that overcomes the world.

PRAYER: O God, who hast put melody in our hearts, we thank thee forthe songs that help us on our way. Keep us ever in this grace, we beseech thee. And when life grows dark about us, give us songs in the night. Amen.

A six year improvement program to cover bridge, port and road construction has been approved by the Uruguayan Congress.

And Sammy had to admit that he didn't. More than 93,000 candidates for airplane pilots' licenses have been examined physically by the United States government.

People's Pulpit

The Mid-West Free Press wishes again to impress upon its readers that the People's Pulpit column is open to them. Write upon any subject you desire, local or national. Your letters will be published regardless of the editor's opinion on the subject. All communications to be printed promptly should not be over 200 words. Those longer must be signed and contain the address of the author.

I just wish to thank Norman Baker for his editorials on adjusted compensation certificates. There is a post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, also the Legion in your city and any member of either who is not a subscriber to your paper is a piker.

ab oroken wing after having been shot down out of the air by a hunter with a terrible gun. Sammy saw that Mr. Quack looked pleased. "He is just like everybody else—likes to be thought smart," said Sammy to himself, but aloud he said nothing at all. He just waited. Mr. Quack looked this way and looked that way to make sure that they were alone. When he was quite sure that they really were alorfe he began speaking in a low voice, such a low voice that Sammy had to lean forward to make sure of hearing every word. "When that terrible gun roared I felt something knock the breath from my body, and at the same time an awful pain in one wing," said he. "Then down I fell, because that hurt wing was quite useless. I couldn't even flap it, and you know nobody can fly with only one wing. I struck the water so hard that it nearly made me lose what little senses I had left, but didn't quite, for I did know enough to dive."

"What is diving?" asked Sammy. All of them did their bit to keep democracy for others and should keep up the good work by backing up the Midwest Free Press in its efforts to keep folks medically free and get the bonus money to the

Would like to have the comrade Would like to have the comrades and buddles answer this letter in the People's Pulpit. They are not in the army now so there will not be any K. P's. coming to them for speaking their minds. E. M. Taylor, Davenport, Ia.

"What is diving?" asked Sammy.
"Going under water, of course," replied Mr. Quack. "I dived under water so that the hunter wouldn't be able to shoot me again. You see I fell very close to some brokendown rushes, and I had to swim only a little way to get among them. Then I hid with only my head out of water. The hunter People's Pulpit:-Muscatine county, through Miss Grace Weeks, has spent over \$28,-000 for its poor. The writer is

not quite settled even though those who are backing Miss Weeks failed who are backing ansa weeks take to appear and explain to the peo-ple of Muscatine why the welfare association begs this money but fails to render the proper service.

What is the city's share for the oor or has this city no poor? At Davenport the county super-

visors cooperated with the unemployment committee and agreed to pay 40 cents an hour for cutting ish along the highways, also to pay cash and not groceries, and men can work three days a week. How does that compare with the 20 cents an hour paid by Musca-tine county? They have no welassociation there at present are doing a far greater ser-than Muscatine or its county all its welfare workers.
Muscatine Booster

More Truth Than Poetry By James J. Montague.

TO A MOCKING BIRD heard

That song which rings from dawn till dark His soul would never have beer

stirred
By any paltry British lark,
And that his lovely, lilting lays,
As limpid as the crystal dew,
Would have been penned alone
in praise Of you."

The lark has but a single song
As he goes winning near and
far—

azure possess a repertoire.

sparrow's cheep—you them all Your own. While songsters flutter far

near, Beneath a bough you perch concealed And catch, with an appraising ear The music of the wood and field.
And then you rise and flit about
The sun and shadow of the glen
And all these myriad notes ring

Again. tut when, outside my window pand Upon a nearby palm you light, And sing your proteam refrain Through full three-quarters

The while the hours with laggard Till far past sunrise drag along, feel that you deserve no place In song.

No Real Test
If Job ever had to try to park a car somewhere near a "talkie house he might not have come through so well.

Highly Qualifed What a swell reporter for National Geographic Magazine Prince of Wales would be.

No Progress In spreading their civilization eastward the soviets have not ad-

Daily Puzzle



Learn to Know the Right Word

By W. C. Nicholson ASK FOR RULING
John Collins of Seattle, Wash.,
a follower of this column for many
years, passes a few comments on
the Fall Test:
"The Fall Test has gone into his-

tory. It was somewhat severe. Many, however, came out of the ordeal with honor. May such con-

ditions prevail.

"In my corrections, I did not change the verb 'enthuse' to 'become enthusiastic,' the result being that my grade was 96. Frankly I am in a dilemma about it. "Funk and Wagnalls' Dictionary

says: 'Enthuse, to render enthus "vyebster's New International

Dictionary says: 'Enthuse, to make or become enthusiastic.'
"These authorities, he state the word is used collo

state the word is used colloquially. Does a colloquialism constitute a grammatical error?"
First, announcement should be made that Mr. Collins again makes the honor roll with a grade of 96 in the Winter Test. He said, "I would not fail." Correct: I should not fail.

Where most authorities advise the use of a precise expression and

Where most authorities advise the use of a precise expression and frown on a colloquialism. The Right Word marks the collequialism wrong in so far as the grading of the paper is concerned.

Mr. Collins and all other readers will appreciate that such a ruling as this is advisable.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS---

by John Hix

2 Do You No

the very first one to find me. al-though a mink very nearly found me last night. He gave me a great fright. I guess he was in a hurry, for he swam straight past the pile of brush under which I was hid-"That must have been Billy Mink, who lives up the Laughing Brock," said Sammy. "I don't be-lieve Billy would have harmed

fear that I would be found. At the same time the pain in my broken wing was awful.

The principle of the steam engine is very simple. Stripped of all technicality, it may be described as follows: Take a can with a capacity A fly wheel is maintained where there is not more than one cylinder, and even where there is and the with which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of the ends. The steam engine takes a can with a capacity of or whan one cylinder, and even where there is and the with which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will follows: Take a can with a capacity of our day which will fou to the other end of the can, and draw the poker with it. Then, introduce steam through the other hole. This will drive the disc to the other end of the can, and at the same time the steam entering the first hole will pass out. This gives a motion to the poker rod, against it.

Manhattan Days and Nights By Walter Trumbull

one morning, saying:

"If you please, sir, it's Tuesday."

on Seventh avenue, New York
part he wrote for himself, but does
not expect his duties as author,
actor and manager to take up all
his time. One reason he picked
Hollywood was because of the suitability of its climate for winter
golf. He may have picked the
theater because it is only twelve
minutes' ride, and could be made
in ten, from the Lakeside Golf
(Club, of which Mr. Craven is a
member. You can see that even
on matinee days a man should be
able to play eighteen holes. And
Mr. Craven already has made a
carefully selected list of opponents,
or clients, now to be found in Hollywood. Prominent on this list is
the name of Leon Errol. Harold
Lloyd might be considered, but he
plays too well to be favored on any
except a handicap basis, and that
enever, is satisfactory, entailing too
many risks. Rube Goldberg would
be great, but he isn't out there any
more.

"If you please, sir, it's Tuesday."

On Seventh avenue, New Yorkers find lots of things which attract their attention. There is, for
example, "Elk's Barber Shop." The
proprietor doesn't represent any
fraternal order. His name just
happens to be Elk. And there is
the "Cruller Shop." Here you can
come as close to old-fashioned
doughnuts as you can get in a big
city. Waffle shops are all over
town. I say again that I certainly wish they would start a popover shop. And I wish these candy
stores would make what they call
dudge without filling it with walstores would make what they call
dudy might be considered, but he
plays too well to be favored on any
ever lived in the country as a kid.
But there are not any candy stores
that can make it—not around
these parts. It's probably a good
thing. One piece of that old twocups—of — sugar-to-one-cup-ofcream stuff would put about five

Next Story: Sammy Sends Mrs. When the artists and writers returned from Havana, it was not upon the stateroom door of Mr.

Frank Craven has gone to Holly-wood, not to appear upon the screen, but to put "That's Grati-tude" in stock at the El Capitan "If you please, sir, it's Tuesday."

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BJARNI HERJULFSSONof Iceland-DISCOVERED AMERICA IN THE YEAR 987 OVER 450 YEARS BEFORE COLUMBUS WAS BORN F & BOTTLE AND CORK COST \$ 105 AND THE BOTTLE COST A DOLLAR JOSEPH MORE THAN THE CORK ... WHAT SHEEHAN, JR. DOES THE CORK COST ? MADE A SOLO AIRPLANE FLIGHT AT THE AGE THE GAMBIAN RAT OF 12 -of Africa-ROOSEVELT FIELD. IS 2 FEET, -LA -- 1931 LONG!

stores would make what they call fudge without filling it with walnuts. Jack Dempsey claims he can make old-fashioned fudge. So can I, and so can any man who ever lived in the country as a kid. But there are not any candy stores that can make it—not around these parts. It's probably a good thing. One piece of that old two-cups - of - sugar-to-one-cup-of-cream stuff would put about five pounds on a sedentary city person.

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a persistent spell of rain, Her- ery; he sighted the same land des- . Tomorrow: A Bracelet Crown,

Infected Leg Keeps

Pittsburgh Star Out

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—(INS)—It will be some time before Paul Waner Pittsburgh outfielder, can join the Pirates at their California training camp, doctors announced following an operation Waner underwent here for an infected left leg.

Waner will be confined to St. John's hospital for an indefinite period, it was said. The infection began when he was bitten while

began when he was bitten while bathing at Miami, Fla.

Conquerer of Conger

Learns Penalty of

Athletic Fame

By COPELAND C BURG

(INS Sports Writer)
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BILL TILDEN STARS IN FIRST PROFESSIONAL MATCH

KOZELUH EASY OPPONENT FOR AMERICAN ACE

Czech Expert Loses Before Big Crowd Of Fans

By LES CONKLIN (INS Sports Writer) NEW YORK—(INS)—William T. Tilden 2nd, for ten years the out-standing figure in amateur tennis in this country, is riding on the crest of victory in his quest for the

crest of victory in his quest for the professional. championship of the world.

The lanky Philadelphitn, hero of many a Davis cup battle, scored a stunning surprise at Madison Square Garden last night when he defeated Karel Kozeluh, long the king of the professionals, in straight sets in the first of nine matches for the championship. The score was 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

Artillery Effective

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The short and stocky Czech never had a chance. Not once was he able to break through Big Bill's cannonball service. Tilden's blazing service aces left him helpless, the Philadelphian winning six love sames to Kozeluly's one. games to Kozeluh's one.

Time and again Tilden drew his opponent out of position and gain-ed the applause of the crowd of ed the applause of the crowd or 14,000 enthusiasts with a neat placement on the other side of the court. Kozeluh's supporters were stunned by his amazing inaccuracy, in view of his proverbial steadiness, and his poor court tactics. He used too many chop shots and lob-bed when he should have driven for the sidelines. You don't lob shots over Big Bill's head, it just isn't being done.

Czech Outclassed

The raven-haired Czech had been advertised as the man with rubber legs, the fellow who never stired. He may have rubber legs but last night he had leaden feet. Although he made amazing "gets" at intervals, he was standing on a dime much of the time.

Tilden held the upper hand from the time that announcer Joe Humphries got a slab of chewing gum tangled up with his tonsils and double-faulted on the word "Czechoslovakia," until the final point of the match.

point of the match.

Tilden got the jump on the rival
in the first set when he broke
through Kozeluh's service in the
third game. Thereafter games followed service. In the third set he
took the first game on the Greek's lowed service. In the third set he took the first game on the Czech's service. Clames again following service until the finish. In the second set, Kozeluh was able to capture only the third and seventh games, on his own service.

The "tennis world series" will be resumed in Baltimore tonight. Tilden made a decided hit as a showman in his debut as a "professional racketeer." The spectators of the service of t

fessional racketeer." The spectators merely laughed when he snapped fingers in annoyance or slash one with his racquet after shot. There was no

tour should be a financial and artistic success. It looks as if the U. S. L. T. A. officials knew their onions when they predicted that the venture would greatly stimulate interest in the game. Last night's receipts totaled about

In the doubles match, Tilden and Francis Hunter of New Rochelle, his doubles partner, defeated Koze-luh and Emmet Pare of Chicago,

RING VERDICTS

At Oklahoma City—Paul Swider-ski, Syracuse heavyweight, defeated Babe Hunt, Ponca City, Okla.

At New York—Richard Shikat, former champion, defeated Ferenc Hoiuban, Hungary.
Dick Daviscourt, California, defeated Gafoor Khan, India.
Toots Mondt, Coforado, defeated Casey Berger, Texas.
Jim McMillen, Illinoia, defeated George Hagen, New York. At Worcester, Mass.—Ed George, Michigan title claiman feated Louie Loew, France.

DEMONS, 30-19 Victory Puts Winners In Second Place

In Little Six

FIND PROMOTER FOR BIG BOUT

his doubles partner, dereated Rozelha and Emmet Pare of Chicago, former national clay court champion, 9-7, 6-4.

Otis Crandall, famous Giant pitcher of years back, has a son who shows signs of greatness at Southern California.

Ralph Kress at the age of 24 is starting his fourth year as the regular shortstop of the Browns.

Joe Dugan, signed by Detroit,

Many Playing Managers in Southern Loop this Year By JIMMY BURNS INS Sports Writer ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—Like the length of milady's skirt, style in Southern League managers is subject to change. This year four of the clubs are going in for playing pilots who will not only lead their men on the field but save wear and tear on the payroll. It will be quite a change from last season, when at the outset. Chicago it will be handled by the Madison Square Garden corporation of Ullinois. Chicago it will be handled by the Madison Square Garden corporation of Willinois. All the big bouts out of this city; nor would they have to bend the knee greatly in reinstating Carnera. Jacobs and Pa Stribling might object on the grounds that they winner of their fight had been prompted be a serious objection. Both of them know that they can't shut Sharkey out of the picture permanently simply by shutting their eyes to him. And, in the final analysis, these two bouts would clear the way for a real and decisive championship struggle either in the late fall or the spring of 1932. If the commission, the Garden, the managers and the fighters are sincerely anxious to give the public what it wants here's their chance to prove it. Danny Tapson, third baseman who finished the season as mantager at Wheeling. Will serve the chance to prove it. Joe Dugan, signed by Detroit, Chicago it will be handled by the expects to do a comeback as a player and not serve as a coach.

This year four of the clubs are going in for playing pilots who will not only lead their men on the field but save wear and tear on the payroll.

It will be quite a change from last season, when at the outset "Doc" Prothro was the only player-manager in the league. Later in the season he was joined by Harry Strohm, of Little Rock, who was promoted when Jack Steele resigned his position as boss.

Prothro furnished copy for the sport writers last summer by declaring that he would retire this year. He may have been serious at the time, but having finished the league, but Gilbert has been on be job since he succeeded Johnny Dobbs in 1923. That gives him elast few season. Prothro furnished copy for the sport writers last summer by declaring that he would retire this year. He may have been serious at the time, but having finished the league, but Gilbert has been on he job since he succeeded Johnny Dobbs in 1923. That gives him elast even for each season.

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COMPROMISE IS SUGGESTED FOR **BOXING MUDDLE**

New York Sport Writer Presents Plans For Peace

By BILL CORUM (INS Sports Writer)
NEW YORK.—(INS)—So much NEW YORK.—(INS)—So much is being said and written about the muddled heavyweight championship fight situation that it might not be a bad idea to stop at this time to take stock.

We read about Sharkey fighting Mickey Valler as connection to

Mickey Walker as competition to the Schmeling-Stribling fight. We read about Primo Carnera being reinstated in New York state so that he can fight Sharkey on the same day and date that Der Max and Willie of the old south gallop to the post in Chicago. We read about vague promoters who are going to do thus and so and about this and

These stories make fair reading and have only one basic fault. They

and have only one basic taut. They aren't true.

Garden Controls

The Madison Square Garden corporation may not always promote our major fights. But as the oldest inhabitant invariably says when

est inhabitant invariably says when you ask him if he thinks it will rain: "It always has."

In this case the Garlen, through a subsidiary, also holds a contract on Carnera and has exclusive right to both New York City ball parks for fight promotion purposes. A combination that is likely to battle even the most mysterious of pro-

till

It.

a Johnson, former president of the American league, was to undergo a blood transfusion today, Dr. Robert Hyland announced.

Dr. Hyland asid Johnson's condition is very serious, the veteran baseball man having suffered a serious setback Tuesday night.

Johnson has been a patient in St. John's hospital here since last month.

LICUIS, Mo.—(INS)—Ban Johnson conduction of the same than the start of the solution that the busing with the sight definitely set for Chicago, then, there are two alternatives for those who really made the match. There is a Chicago milk fund which might participate, or the milk fund might withdraw from this bout.

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yon or Farnsworth on this sul
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and Carnera signed, and am
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But if Sharkey and Carnera ca
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and they can—why couldn't

CAGE RESULTS

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Maquoketa Junior College 33, Tipton Junior College 32,
Dakota Wesleyan 29, Cudahy
Packers of Sioux City 27.
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Navy 30 American University 25.
Army 27, Carnegie Tech 26.
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vertime). Pennsylvania 22, Princeton 20, Georgia Tech 23, Alabama 19. Baylor 34, Southern Methodist Illinois State Teachers 24, St.

Y. M. C. A. SQUAD **LEADS LEAGUE**

Brown's Cagers Drop Back to Second in Loop Standings

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

on Carnera and has exclusive right to both New York City ball parks for fight promotion purposes. A combination that is likely to battle even the most mysterious of promoters.

So we may safely start with this premise: Whatever is done the Garden will have a hand in.

And the first thing that is going to be done is the promotion of the Schmeling-Stribling world's championship bout in Chicago. This is in. I see by the papers where Sheld on Clark is to head a committee of fifty Chicago business men who will guarantee the fight. Soldier field is being held open for the week beginning June 14, and the most probable date is Wednesday night, June 17.

Chicago Seeks Cut

There would be an immediate official announcement of these facts except that the charity angie has not been straightened out. Damon Runyon and Bill Farns worth signed this match for the New York City milk fund charity of which Mrs. W. R. Hearst is chairman.

But the Chicago people feel, and quite properly, that Chicago should not be asked to contribute to a strictly New York City charity. They have starved and undernourished bables out there, too, even though we don't hear much.

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SHEA FAVORED

TO DEFEAT 'KID

Given Odds of 8 to 5 Over Italian Ring Contender

By HYPE IGOE (INS Sports Writer) NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—(INS) NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—(INS) — The fact that they have made Eddie Shea an 8 to 5 favorite over Kid Francis in their bout of Friday night, doesn't upset the little Ital-ian one bit. Francis has been on the short end several times, once being 10 to 1, when he met and defeated Archie Bell. This was the soundest wallon

I, when he met and defeated Archie Bell. This was the soundest wallop the wise men of Broadway ever got in the history of boxing.

Shea is taking the place of Fidel La Barba, who had to withdraw because of a flu attack.

It has been six years since Shea fought here, his last battle being waged against Charley Phil Rosenberg, then the bantamweight champion of the world.

Ugly rumors followed that bout

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six years. Since then he has grown into the featherweight ranks and

still can fight.
Jack Fugazy dropped into Madison Square Garden recently and the rumor went around that Jack was being invited to take a hand at helping in the promotion of things about the house that Tex built.
Bill Carey of the Garden forces said that the talk was merely about

ner of the Columbus Junction-Wyman game will play at 11 a.m. Saturday. No games are scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

The finals of the tournament will be played Saturday evening. At 7:30 p. m. the consolation game will be played by the losers of the two morning games. At 8:30 p. m. the winners of the morning games will play for the trophy. The losing team of this game is known as the winner of the second place and is awarded a basketball. A similar award is made to the winners of the consolation game.

TULSA DEFEATS DRAKE, 19 TO 15

DES MOINES.—(INS)—The Golden Hurricans of the South, representing Tulsa university of Tulsa, Okla., blew out of Des Moines today with the scalps of the Drake Bulldogs floating along with them. Last night the Oklahomans overcame a four point lead which Drake had built up in the first half and, with a tenacious defense, beat out the locals at the finish, T9 to 15.

FUNNYLINES

The Three I league has cut its

Art Shires on the stage neither sings nor dances. He won't take the time off from talking.

same bath robe for twenty years which doesn't make him any dif-ferent from the rest of us.

First base will be well jimmed for the Cards with both Bottomley and Collins on the job. Everybody has had his say on what the boxing game needs. Now it is possible to say what it really needs—a few good fighters.

The goal tender on a tail end Garden recently presented to him lockey team is the human bulls. One more victory and all of it will

Rockne, who reads the papers all the way through, says he will have no secretary when he gets

The Wickersham commission has not been asked to investigate the heavyweight boxing business.

LONDOS MEETS WORTHY FOE IN

PUEBLO GIANT Wrestling Champ on Defense Most

CHICAGO-(INS)-Jim London eavyweight wrestling crown as ecognized in New York and Pennrecognized in New York and Fennisylvania still adorns his brow despite the feverish time he had in subduing George Zaharias of Pueblo, Colo., at the coliseum last night.

Londos defeated the challenger to his claims in two straight falls, thereby giving the Greek a two thirds claim on the \$7,500 diamond championship helt which the milhampionship belt which the mil-ionaires' club of Madison Square

Of Bout

One more victory and all of it will Londos achieved the first fall in 46 minutes and 3 seconds with a series of reversed headlocks, toe holds and a spinner topped off with a reversed body lock.

The second fall came in 59 seconds with the same holds.

The Wickersham commission has not been asked to investigate the heavyweight boxing business. This 19-year-old University of Pennsylvania junior who just avantage in weight, was the aggressor throughout most of the bout. Londos contenting himself with remaining on the defensive. Eight thousand witnessed the bout. Conditions Against Night Baseball Schedule in East By Les Conklin INS Sports Writer. NEW YORK—Night baseball may be a boon to minor league club owners in other sections of the country, but is losing favor in the east. Frank Donnelly, business man-ing ball at night was a libed. The Wickersham commission has onds with the same holds. Zaharias, with his 40-pound advantage in weight, was the aggressor throughout most of the bout. Londos contenting himself with remaining on the defensive. Eight thousand witnessed the bout. Coan Is Big Upset Coan is entered in the intercollegiate A. A. A. A. events here March 7 and a determined drive was launched today to get his entry for the famed Columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian mile in the New York Conger, the New York scholmaster, with his 4:13 mile he yound advantage in weight, was the aggressor throughout most of the bout, evidently will be given no peace of mind until he hangs up a new mark or wear out a few pairs of slippers in the effort. Coan Is Big Upset Coan is entered in the intercollegiate A. A. A. A. events here March 7 and a determined drive was launched today to get his entry for the famed Columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian mile in the New York Schoolmaster, with his 4:13 mile he yound advantage in weight, was the aggressor throughout most of the bout, evidently will be given no peace of mind until he hangs up a new mark or weather the pair of the columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian mile in the New York Knights of Columbian the Night was launched today. The Work—Night have pair of the Columbian to the columbian mi and though the commission investigated it from every angle, there never was any direct charges leveled at anyone connected with the bout. Shea was not officially barred but clubs were quietly tipped off not to employ him. That is why Shea, one of the best bantamweights in the world at the time, has been out of New York for six years. Since then be has grown

add that the talk was merely about the total the talk was merely about the country but is losing favor in the total to make the country but is losing favor in the total to make the mater. Carey, just back from Chicago, to to to make the country but is losing favor in the country but is losing f Rental Bureau

A Service to Strangers in Muscatine

For the benefit of the stranger in Muscatine or those not familiar with the streets and their locations the Want Ad Department of the Midwest Free Press has brought to your disposal a FREE RENTAL BUREAU. For information regarding location, for information not contained in Rental Ads and for information whether the rooms, apartments or houses have been rented during the day, apply

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HOUSY HITS, I THINK HE WILL LAY
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By VIC

DURANT TO BE SCENE OF K.P. **MEET TONIGHT**

Speaker's Bureau to Observe Order's Anniversary

Many members of Wyoming lodge No. 764 Knights of Pythias, together with a delegation of together with a delegation of Blackhawk lodge, No. 281, Wapello will leave tonight for Durant where will leave tonight for Durant where
the sixty-seventh anintersary of
the founding of the order will be
observed. The event is being held
by the Seventh District lodges of
the Iowa domain. The Knights of
Pythias order was founded on Feb.
19, 1864 in Washington, D. C.
Special busses have been chartered to convey the delegation to
Durant. All members who plan to
attend will leave from Bond's Sport
shop on Walnut street at 6;30 p. m.

Hite to Speak

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A program with addresses by Grand Chancellor Frank Hite of Marengo and Past Grand Chancellor R. R. Hibbs, also of Marengo, has been arranged. Vocal and instrumental selections will be given by members of the Pythian male quartet of Muscatine and the orchestra of Pluto lodge No. 118 of Eldridge. Besides Mr. Hite and Mr. Hibbs, many other grand lodge, past grand, district and subordinate lodge officers will be in attendance. Bureau officers of the Muscatine lodge, Rev. Stanley P. Jones, life member of the Milbank, S. D. lodge and Dr. C. Rasmussen will be included in the delegation from here.

Program Announced

Program Announced The complete program will be as follows: Orchestra selection, Pluto lodge, No. 118, Eldridge; group singing, followed by salute to the flag, accompanient by the Tipton lodge orchestra; opening invoces. flag, accompanient by the Tipton lodge orchestra; opening invocation, the Rev. Stanley P. Jones, Muscatine; address of welcome to Durant by chancellor commander, after which the meeting will be turned over to Permanent Chairman Frank Drake of Muscatine; welcome of speakers' bureau, Chairman Drake; talk by John Tank of Walcott, district deputy grand chancellor of the Seventh district talk, John J. Huglin, Fairfield, district deputy grand chancellor of the Seventh district talk, John J. Huglin, Fairfield, district deputy grand chancellor of talk, John J. Huglin, Fairfield, district deputy grand chancellor of the Eighth district; recognition of grand, past grand, district and local officers; resolutions of meetine; vocal selection, the Pythian male quartet, Muscatine; outline of purposes and aims of speakers' bureau and what it plans to do, C. M. Mason, Muscatine, secretary of the bureau; instrumental selection, Deputy G. Harline, Durant; introduction of Grand Chancellor Frank Hite of Marengo; talk, greetings from the grand lodge, Mr. Hite; selection, Eldridge lodge orchestra; introduction of Past Grand Chancellor R. R. Hibbs of Marengo; talk, "The Sixty-seventh Anniversary of the Foundation of Pythianism," Mr. Hibbs; selection, Pythian male poses and aims of speakers' bureau and what it plans to do, C. M. Mason, Muscatine, secretary of the bureau; instrumental selection. Deputy G. Harline, Durant; introduction of Grand Chancellor Frank Hite of Marengo; talk, greetings from the grand lodge, Mr. Hite; selection, Eldridge lodge orchestra; introduction of Past Grand Chancellor Frank Hite of Marengo; talk, "The Sixty-seventh Anniversary of the Foundation of Pythianism," Mr. Hibbs; selection, Pythian male nuartet, Muscatine; roll call of lodges; with each lodge responding with a talk on "The Work of Our Lodge" or "The Principals of the Order." Instrumental selection, Dr. C. Rasmussen, Muscatine; and meeting at Davenport, April 6; or

ACROSS

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6—Cavities.
11—Apportions.
13—Gaudy.
14—Part of body.
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17—Frozen water.
18—Toward a higher place.
19—Stamp.
20—Old English (abbr.)
21—Cat's call.

21—Cat's call.
23—Was anxious.
25—Vase.
26—Couch.
28—To lure.
30—One round of track.
31—Head covering.
32—Device for measuring
34—Sets of rules.
36—Existed.
37—Fresh set of runners
39—Eve was made of one.
41—Pronoun.
42—"Pepper."

-Pronoun. -"Pepper." -Word of negation.

To demand payment.

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In the past. 49-Mason's implem 51-A silly smile. -One who chops.

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9-To accompany.

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To perform.

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That many weeks in year.

Programs for Friday - "Growing Corn for Profita."
- Grain Market; Variety Music.
- Hiram and Henry.
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- "Sara Matines Prog. Variety.
- Sears Matines program.
- Orchestra and "Olf Pappy."
- International Harmony Boys.
- Show Boat.
- "The Prairie President."

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9:00—Musical Travelogue of United States. 9:45—Northern Trust Program. 10:90—MBC—Amos n' Andy. 10:30—Mike and Herman. 10:239—Weather Report. 11:00— Air Vaudeville.

WBBM

M. :55—CBS—Farm Information. • :05—Smile Club, Al Melgard.

8:05-Smile Club, Al Melgard,
8:45-Organ Program,
9:00-CBS-Yankee Hospitality,
9:30-Burnham Beauty Chat,
9:45-CBS-Don and Betty,
10:00-CBS-Emily Post,
10:16-CBS-Cooking Travelogues,
10:46-CBS-Helen Howe,
11:00-Sally Brown,
11:30-CBS-Columbia Revue,
11:45-John Roberts-Home Facts,
12 to 1:00-Farm Community Network—NBC,

P. M. 12:05—Famous Composers. 12:25—Local Produce Markets. 12:35—"The Skandinavian Philo

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12:55.—Farm Belt Headlines.
12:56.—CBR.—Columbia Salon Orch.
14:00.—Chleago Hour of Music.
15:00.—Hickory Circus.
15:00.—Hickory Circus.
15:00.—Fice's Vanilla Players.
16:16.—CBR.—Eno Crime Club.
16:16.—CBR.—American Mutual.
10:00.—Spelling Bee.
13:00.—Grolsteiner Hour.
11:15.—Around the Town.

WMAQ

670 Ke-CHICAGO-447.5 M.

A. M.
7:45-CBS-Old Dutch Girl.
8:90-U, of Chicago Program.
9:30-Board of Trade, also
11:30, 12:30, 1:22.
10:15-Shopping Bag.
11:15-Whitney Trio.
11:33-Intermediate French.
12:00 noon-Mid Day Chimes.
P. M.

P. M.
12:10—Lenten Service,
12:45—Noontime Melodies,
1:30—CBS—School of the Air,
2:15—Whitney Trio,
2:30—Musical Potpourri,
3:30—Woman's Calendar,
4:90—Vaughan's Garden Talk,
5:50—Topsy Turvy Time,
5:50—ROTC Talk,

"PAM"

KTNT 253.6-MUSCATINE-1170 Kc. -Phonograph Records, -Farm Flashes,

Correct Time.

Sacred Program, Conducted by
Rev. Winters.

Harmonics Rev. Winters.

Harmonica Joe.

Vocal Selections by Bob.

Calliaphone Selections by Pat.

Vocal Selections by Larry.

Correct Time.

Baldwin Selections by Pat.

Haldwin Selections by Pat.

Vocal Selections by Pat.

s:05—Weather Report.
9:06—Baldwin Selections by Pat.
9:10—Vocal Selections by Walter.
9:20—Calliaphone Music.
9:35—Markets (Courtesy of C. N.
Nicholson).
9:40—Vocal Selections by Mary.
9:45—News Review.
10:00—Housekeepers Chat.
10:10—Recipes.
10:45—Special Musical Program.
11:00—Correct Time.
12:00—Weather. Time. -Correct Time. -Weather, Time, Markets, Va-riety Program.

P. M.
12:80—Talk by Norman Baker.
1:00—Variety Program by Staff 1:00—Variety Program by Staff
Artists.
1:59—Correct Time.
2:00—Phonograph Records.
2:05—Correct Time.
3:00—Battery Boys.
3:15—Vocal Selections by Mary.
3:30—Violin Selections by Carl.
3:45—Vocal Selections by Boys.
4:00—Prof. Daffy's School Class.
5:00—News Review (Courresy Midwest Free Press.

A. M. West Free Program by Staff Artists.

WSUI 340.8 M.—IOWA CITY—880 Ke.

-News, Markets, Weather Music and Dally Smile, -Organ.

11:00—Organ.
P. M.
2:00—Stories Out of Iowa's Past.
2:20—University News.
2:40—Engineering Problems.
3:40—WSULTITO.
3:40—Stories Out of Iowa's Past.
2:40—MSULTITO.
6:00—WSULTITO.
9:00—Commerce Mart.

WLS 870 Ke.—CHICAGO—345 M. A. M. 7:10—Midwest Weather. 7:15—Clem 'and Harry. 7:30—"Breakfast Brigade," Paul Ra

7:30—"Breakfast Brigade," Paul F der. 8:00—Bradley Kincaid. 8:15—Steamboat Bill, Music. 8:30—NBC—Campbell Program. 8:50—Weather: Hog Flash. 9:10—Tower Topics, Home Hints. 9:30—Automatic Soap Jesters. 9:45—Cooking School.

12:00 noon—Dinnerbell 'P. M. 12:15—Badger Seedsmen. 12:30—Closing Livestock

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10-Glistening brightness.

27—Large tub. 29—Insane.

32—Come of age. 33—Carousel.

34—Lodges temporarily. 35—Scorched.

12--Covered portable chair.
13--To welcome. 16-Atmosphere 22—To leap playfully. 24—To entice. 25—Higher.

Crossword Puzzle

J. Foley, Nichols, Takes Shoot Prize At Milan Meeting

NICHOLS, Is .- (Special) -In recent trap shocking contest held at Milan, Ill., John Foley of this place, defeated 23 shooters of east-ern Iowa and western Illinois. Mr. Foley broke 24 targets without a

niss. The little son of Benjamin Oostendorp, who lives southeast o Nichols, is seriously ill of pneu-

M.

15-Sunshine Hour.

20-Butter and Egg Markets.

30-Constance Service.

59-Weather Report.

90-Sally Brown Sketch.

95-Farm Market Reports.

15-Mike and Herman.

25-Cooking School. (1:25—CORING
P. M.

3:30—Musical Matinee.
4:30—Do You Know Time.
5:00—Air Juniors Program.
5:45—NBC—Uncle Abe and David.
6:00—Dinner Music.
6:15—Beauty Talk.

Nichols, is seriously ill of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McCullough, George, Bessie and Lloyd McCullough, were guests at the Ray McCullough home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wildman and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wildman were entertained Sunday at the Carl Wiess home near Lone Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Heizer, and children, Hazel, Donald and Blanche of Waterloo, visited at the W. C. Halleck home and with other relatives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Verda Metcalf entertained members of her Sunday school class, at a valentine party at the Methodist Episcopal church Saturday. Games and a social hour were features of the afternoon.

Henry Kirchner and Offiude Heizer were business visitors in Des Moines Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Borchard and daughter of St. Louis spent the Sweek-end with Mr. and Mrs. I. West. Farm Program.

Luke and Mirandy.

NBC—Enna Jettick Songbirds.

World Book Man.

Musical Travelogue of the and daughter of St. Louis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rummels and other relatives here. Improvement is reported in the condition of Mrs. David Marine, who recently underwent an opera-tion at Hershey hospital, Muscatine.

Mason City Event

IOWA CITY, Ia.—(INS)—It was announced today that Walter Jessup, president of the University of Iowa, will be the gitest of honor and principal speaker at a banquet at Mason City March 2 in honor of the eighty fourth are higher than the contract of the eighty fourth are the second of the eighty fourth are the eighty f

Mediapolis Church W. C. T. U. Lecturer **PRISON TERM**

Minister Convicted of Abducting Choir Member

EDWARDSVILLE, 'Ill.—(INS)—
The Reverened Alonzo I. Shoemaker, the penecostal minister who
was convicted of abducting a 19year-old former girl member of his
choir, was taken to southern Illnois penitentiary at Chester, Wednesday, to start serving his indeterminate sentence from 1 to 10
years.

Exact date and place.

Report cards for the feourth six weeks period of the school year, in
were given to pupils in the local of
schools recently.

Kenneth Bullis, cellist, played at
the Zion Evangelical church in
Burlington last Sunday. His accompanist was Miss Alice Reed,
supervisor of music in the local EDWARDSVILLE. III.—(INS)—

PASTOR BEGINS

nesday, to start serving his indeterminate sentence from 1 to 10 years.

Shoemaker who gave a \$10,000 appeal bond last summer following his conviction but who failed to perfect the appeal, was arrested at Alton under the bond Tuesday night and put in fail here.

Shoemaker, who as the former postor of the Edwards street Pentecostal church at Altorif was convicted of abducting Miss Bernice Ford, pretty member of his choir. It was brought out in the testimony at the trial in Alton that the two spent two nights together in hotels in Missouri registering once as husband and wife and once as father and daughter in the latter part of April 1928. In October 1929 Shoemaker was ousted as pastor of his Alton church when he disappeared with two other girl members of his choir, Miss Annette Hankins and Miss Edith Harris. The two girls and the minister were found together conducting a To Honor Jessup

To Honor Jessup

To Honor Jessup

The two girls and the minister were found together conducting a revival in Florida. The minister was indicted on three abduction charges but the state prosecuted only on the one charge.

Kalona

Members Will Hear

MEDIAPOLIS, Ia.—(Special)—
A union meeting of all churches in the city will be held Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church A representative of the state W. C. T. U. chapter will speak.

Mediapolis has entered the Iowa Academic contest for high schools. Exact date and place of the meeting will be announced later.

Report cards for the fourth six weeks period of the school year, were given to pupils in the local schools recently.

Kenneth Bullis, cellist, played at

History Lost 150 Years, Recovered

AUSTIN, Tex.—(INS)—A history of Texas, written earlier than 1780, by Father Morfi, a Franciscan priest of the eighteenth century, while in a cell, and which disappeared more than 150 years ago, was discovered recently by Carlos E. Castaneda, Latin-American librarian of the University of Texas. The history was located in a library at Mexico City. Although the work was unsigned, the history was found to have been Father Morfi's through the hand-writing. kalona

at the Royal Institution here re- Urges Lethal Gas

"Furthermore," he added, "elec

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ric sparks a mile or more in length passing from a cloud to the earth or from one part of a cloud to another, are developed in a flash of lightning.

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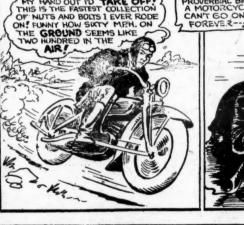


"SKY ROADS"

The Dead Stick

-By LT. LESTER J. MAITLAND







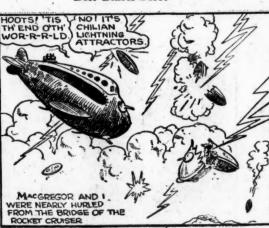


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Bolt Blasts Fleet

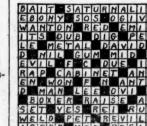
By PHIL NOWLAN And DICK CALKINS







36—Storener. 36—Distance across. 38—Falsehood. 40—Uncultured persons. 45—At this time. 40—Uncultured persons 45—At this time. 46—By. 47—To act wrongly. 48—To imitate. 50—Plural pronoun. 52—Singular pronoun.





Complete Market Reports

RECEIPTS AT 11 MARKETS CHICAGO, Feb. 19—(INS)—E

\$9.00.

HOGS—33,000, including 14,000 directs. Market slow, Light classes steady, Heavy grades atrong to 10c higher. Good to choice 140-200 lbs. \$7.25@7.40. Top \$7.40. 210-250 lbs. \$6.25@6.40 Pigs \$6.40@7.00. Packing sows \$5.60 @7.15. 260-330 lbs. \$6.25@6.40 Pigs \$6.40@7.00. Packing sows \$5.60 @5.85.

Testify Monday

Morning

Funeral Services

For Mrs. Otte Held

Short funeral services for Mrs. Alena Otte were held today at 12:30 p. m. from the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Parrott, 323 Main street and at 2:30 p. m. from the Zion Lutheran church in Iowa City. Burial was made in Iowa City with the Rev. J. Haefner, paster of the Zion Lutheran church here, assisted by the Rev. C. A. Prochl, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church of Iowa City officiating. Pallbearers were Fred Wetzel, George Thauren. of Muscatine, Charles Boss, Will Mineke, Will Slevers and Herman Pundt of Iowa City. Flower attendants were Mrs. Fred Wetzel, Mrs. Rose Rebelsky, Mrs. George Thauren of Muscatine, Mrs. Charles Boss. Mrs. Edith Mineke and Mrs. J. Christinsen of Iowa City.

1424
4634 Western Union 1421
4634 Westinghouse Electric 977
28 White Motors 223
77 4 Willys Overland 53
1855 Yellow Truck 225

GRAINS CLOSE FIRMER, LATE TRADE ACTIVE

Wheat Slightly Higher, Rye Shows Good Advance

CHICAGO. — (INS) — Grains closed firmer today. Late trade was fairly active with considerable short covering and buying by local bulls evident. Pressure was light.

Last prices for wheat were unchanged to %c up; corn % to 1c higher and cats % to %c better. Rye was % to 2%c higher.

A reactionary tendency in the Liverpool market following the recent firmness inspired moderate selling of wheat futures here at the opening today with values %c lower. On the dip some support developed and prices firmed. Trade was rather light.

The Winnipeg market opened

was rather light.

The Winnipeg market opened steady but late was ½ to ½c higher. Liverpool was ¾ to 5½c lower due to a forecast for larger shipments from Argentina, the total being estimated at 4,961,000 bushels against 4,386,000 bushels the previous week. Weather conditions were not much changed with precipitation generally light.

Houses with western connections sold corn at the outset and the market dipped fractionally. Shorts covered freely on the break and

covered freely on the break prices rallied. Weather over	an r th
belt was reported unsettled. ness in wheat and reports of	Firm
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No. 2 white 64@64%c. No. 3 wh @62%c. No. 5 white 58c.	ite 6
Close: WHEAT—No. 1 red 77@77%c. hard 79c. hard 79c. no. 2 hard 79c. northern spring 78% @79%c. mixed 78% @79c. Sample grade 6c. No. 4 dark northern sprin CORN—No. 3 mixed 0@60% 4 mixed 58@59c. No. 5 mixed 57%c. No. 6 mixed 57%c. No. 6 mixed 57%fc. No. 6 willow 62%c. No. 4 yellow 62%c. No. 4 yellow 62%c. No. 4 yellow 62%c. No. 5 yellow 71%g58c. No. 6 yellow No. 2 white 64@66%c. No. 3 wh 64%c. No. 1 white 83c. No. 2 32% @33c. HIE—None. BARLEY—59c.	whit
BARLEY—59c.	
New York Stocks	
NEW YORK-(INS)-Closing	_
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Allied Chemical & Dye	11%
Allis Chalmers	371/4
American Can & Foundry	34%
American & Foreign Power.	54%
American Smelter	52 1
Advance Rumley pfd	194%
American Water Works	693
Anaconda Copper	200 %
Atlantic Refinery	21%
Baldwin Locomotive	63
Brockaway Motors	3%
Case Threshing Machine.	123
Bethlehem Steel m. Bendix Aviation	44 %
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Par	71/
Chicago, Rock Island & P	00%
Coca Cola	163
Colorado Gas & Electric	39 1/4
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Montgomery Ward	28%
Nash Motors	34 1/2
National Lead	12514
New York Central	13 %
New York, New Haven: Hart Northern Pacific	5814
Otis Steel Packard Motors	10 1/2
Pennick & Ford	46 62 %
Phillips Petroleum	13 %
Radio Corporation	10 18 %
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	50	290	6.40	52	286	6
KANSAS CITY MARKET	54	280	6.50	58	276	6
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 19-(INS)-	60	272	6.60	62	268	- 6
ivestock:	64	264	6.70	66	260	6
CATTLE-2,500. Steady. Steers \$6.00	MIXED AND BUTCHERS			8		
11.50. Cows and heifers \$2.50@9.25.	54	240	\$6.85	54	236	36
tockers and feeders \$5.00@900. alves \$5.00@10.50.	56	234	6.95	58	230	77
HOUSE COOK Standard to the	60	238		62	224	2
HOGS-6,000. Steady to 25c lower. ulk \$6.50@6.90. Top \$7.00. Heavies	64	222	7.15	66	220	7
.85 @ 6.55. Lights \$6.75 @ 7.00. Me-	67	218	7.25	70	214	7
ums \$6.50@ 6.90.	72	210	7.35	75	204	7
SHEEP-11,000. Steady to 25c low-	STEERS					
. Lambs \$7.75@8.50. Wethers \$4.50	20	948	\$6.75	22	1105	\$7
5.60. Ewes \$3.75@4.90.	19	1226	8.00	20	950	8
	20	1269	9.25	17	1589	10
EAST ST. LOUIS MARKET	22	1353	10.50	41	1809	11
EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 19-	-		COV	V8	-	
NS)-Livestock:	7	846	\$3.50	8	890	84
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3.00. Steady. Mixed yearlings and	11	1086	5.00	14	1145	5
eifers \$7.00@7.50. Cows \$4.25@5.25.	12	1142	5.50	10	1260	5
utters \$2.75@3.00. Bulls \$3.75@4.25.			FEED	ERS		

Hog Receipts

DES MOINES—(INS)—(United States Department of Agriculture)—
Combined hog receipts at 23 concentration yards and 7 packing plants located in interior Iowa and southern Minnesota for the 24 hour period ended at 10:00 a. m. today were 21,300 compared with 26,000 a week ago.

week ago.

Receipts moderate. Early Thursday's marketing light in most sections. Lighter weights steady to 10c lower. Medium weight and heavy butchers steady to 10c higher. Bulk 179-230 lb, \$6.40@5.85. Few choice light lights to \$5.90 or elightly better. Most 240-280 lb, \$5.40@5.85. Few choice light lights to \$5.80 or elightly better. Most 240-280 lb, \$5.30@6.30.

Light weights good and choice 180-180 & \$6.20@5.90.

Light weights good and choice 180-180 & \$6.40@6.90. \$180-200 & \$6.40@6.90.

Medium weights good and choice 200-220 & \$6.40@6.90. \$20-250 & \$6.10@6.00.

G.55. Heavy weights good and choice 250-290 & \$5.90@6.30. 290-350 & \$5.60@6.00.

But and the second se CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO C.—(INS)—Receipts of hogs were \$3,000 today which include \$14,000 direct to packers. The market was steady for light weights that sold largely at \$7.00 to \$7.45 and was 100 higher on the heavy that moved at \$6.50 to \$6.75. Sows were quoted steady at \$5.25 to \$8.00. Were \$1.00. Prices were steady at \$5.00 to \$1.00. Feeders \$1.00. Prices were steady at \$5.00. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.00. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.00. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.50. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.50. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.50. Feeders showed no change and moved at \$5.50 to \$8.50. Lambs sold at \$5.00 to \$10.00. Feeders were steady. Lambs sold at \$5.00 to \$1.00 to \$1.

Produce

CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO—(INS) Produce:
BUTTER—4.417 tubs. Creamery extras and standards 28c; extra firsts 276/1/4/1 tubs. Creamery extras and standards 28c; extra firsts 276/1/4/1 tubs. Creamery extras and standards 28c; extra firsts 276/1/4/1 tubs. Creamery extras and standards 28c; extra firsts 15/1/4/1 tubs. Creamery extras 186/1 tubs. 186/1 \$6,00@7.15, 280-330 lbs. \$6.25@6.60 Plgs \$6.40@7.00, Packing sows \$5.60 @5.85. CATTLE—5,000. Steady. Calves—2,000. Steady. Beef steers—Good and choice \$10.00@11.50. Common and medium \$6.00@91.50. Yearlings \$6.50@11.50. Butcher Cattle—Heifers \$5.00@9.50. Cows \$3.75@6.50. Calves \$7.00@10.50. Feeder steers \$5.00@8.50. Stocker steers \$5.00@8.50. Stocker steers \$5.00@8.50. SHEEP—19,000. 25c lower. Medium and choice lambs \$5.00@7.50. Culmon \$6.00@7.00. Yearlings \$5.50@7.50. Common and choice lambs \$5.00@7.50. Colocker \$5.50@7.50. Colocker \$5.50@7.50. Colocker \$5.00@8.00. SOUTH OMAHA MARKET OUTH OMAHA, Nebr.—(INS) 80UTH OMAHA Nebr.—(INS)—
Livestock:
HOGS—10,000. Steady to 10c lower.
Top \$6.90. 160-200 lbs. lights \$6.550
6.55. 200-220 lbs. butchers \$6.500
6.75. 220-250 lbs. weights \$6.250
6.250-300 lbs. butchers \$6.250
6.250.300 lbs. butchers \$5.350
6.00.
Packing sows \$5.150.52.8. Average
cost. Wednesday \$6.12. Weight 253
lbs.

CHICAGO.—(INS)—Seed market:
RED CLOVER: Fair to good \$16.00
\$68.00. Choice \$18.00 g/19.50. Fancy
\$20.00. Sweet clover \$7.50 g/7.57.

ALSIKE—\$16.00, \$18.00, \$19.50.

TIMOTHY—Good \$9.00. Choice \$9.25. Fancy \$3.75.

MARSHALL FIRST Drake and Hicklin To Get Petitions

to Representative Theodore Drake and Senator E. R. Hicklin requestin Inwa legislature to pass the necessary measure giving cities and this way to school. No bones were fractured but the youth is confined to his home suffering from shock and bruises.

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—Verne days and the state 50 pc; cent of the collections on motor vehicles. The Iowa League of Municipalities has endorsed the measure and twas voted upon favorably by the council several weeks ago. According to the petition, this will not break faith with counties who have voted bond issues for road improvements and will not prevent be surfacing of additional roads. And it is said it will make possible a considerable reduction on property tax in cities and towns. The action was seen as a move to obtain complete charges and evidence Marshall claims to have as a basis for the investigation.

The surfacing of additional roads. And it is said it will make possible a considerable reduction on property tax in cities and towns. The petition states further that the surfacing of additional roads are to be used by the cities and towns in improving their streets for which a general tax is now levied.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS -

NEW ERA LADIES AID will hold a bake sale at the John Callahan Elec-tric Snop, 325 E. 2nd St. at 10 o'clock Saturday, Feb. 21. I WISH TO THANK everyone who made donations or helped me in any

I wish to announce my candidacy for nomination for street commis-sioner on the Citizen-Democratic ticket, aubject to the primary of March 2, 1931.

Airport Owner Dies

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A. L. Madden ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y.—(INS) Emry Davis, Sr., president of the Emry Davis Airport company which has been carrying on experimental work in aeronautics here was killed, and Carl Nelson, of Roosevelt, L. I., was injured, not seriously, when an experimental glider in which they were flying early today crashed from a height of 30 feet. CITY AND FARM LOANS
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1929 Essex Coach, in excellent condition.

-By J. CARROLL MANSFIELD

"HIGH LIGHTS OF HISTORY" 4. Lewis and Clark-Overtures to Buy New Orleans



WISHING TO SECURE CONTROL OF THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI FOR THE UNITED STATES AND AT THE SAME TIME AVOID CONFLICT WITH FRANCE PRESIDENT JEFFERSON INSTRUCTED ROBERT LIVINGSTON TO TRY TO PURCHASE THE LAND AT THE MOUTH OF THE RIVER, INCLUDING NEW ORLEANS, FROM THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT.



WHILE LIVINGSTON WAS MAKING OVERTURES TO BUY NEW ORLEANS, AN EVENT OCCURRED THAT CHANGED THE WHOLE SITUATION. THIS WAS THE TERRIBLE REVOLT OF THE SLAVES IN HAITI. RISING AS ONE MAN, THE BLACKS MASSACRED FRENCH SOLDIERS AND PLANTERS AND MADE THEMSELVES MASTERS OF THE ISLAND.....



A SWEEPING EPIDEMIC OF THE DREADED YELL FEVER KILLED MOST OF THE WHITES THAT HAD ESCAPED THE MASSACRE, AND THE FRENCH WERE FINALLY FORCED TO WITHDRAW FROM HAITI. WITH THE LOSS OF HAITI, NAPOLEON'S SCHEME OF COLONIAL DEVELOPMENT IN LOUISIANA COLLAPSET



REFUSED TO SELL NEW ORLEANS. LIVINGSTON WAS AMAZED THEREFORE WHEN TALLEYRAND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER, SUDDENLY OFFER TO SELL THE WHOLE LOUISIANA TERRITORY TO THE UNITED STATES

Fight Against T.B. Testing Waxes Warm in Cedar County

900 FARMERS WILL GATHER **ON SATURDAY**

Norman Baker Will Address Meeting In Tipton

TIPTON, Ia.— (Special) —More than 900 farmers are expected to attend a meeting of the Farmers' Defense League of Cedar county here Saturday to formulate plans for the furtherance of the fight against compulsory testing of cattle for tuberculosis.

the for tuberculosis.

Norman Baker, of Muscatine, owner of radio station KTNT and a militant opponent to compulsory T. B. tests, will speak "if nothing unforseen arises to prevent me," he

Fight Waxing Warm
The meeting will be held at 10 a. m., in the courthouse, it is announced by J. W. Lenker of Wilton Junction, president of the Iowa Farmers' Protective association and W. C. Butterbrodt, president of the Defense league. The state organization is backing the Cedar county body in its fight.

The fight against compulsory

The fight against compulsory testing is waxing warm in this territory. Seniator Davis next week is expected to file in the state legislature a petition, signed by 2,000, writer that the compulsor. urging that the compulsory clause Home Owners Gather

In a canvass of Sugar Creek township a few days ago 200 farm-ers signed the petition only seven refusing.

Legense league has day sees more joining the cause against compulsory testing.

The county agents are putting up a stiff fight against the movement and a number of cattle owners have been served with notices that they have violated the state law. A report spread that the lead-proved to be.

West Liberty

Mr. Fred Heatherington and soin Howard, were business visitors in Muscatine Monday.

Miss Edna Myers, who has been visiting Mrs. Harvey Crain in Iowa City, has returned to her home.
Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons visited Tuesday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lewis Stagg near Powney.

Found in the Furrow

The American farmer is never content to stand still. He. other industrial leaders, realizes that prosperity lies in progress. An putstanding agricultural achievenent of the past year is the crea-tion through scientific breeding of tion through scientific breeding of a new cane that yields an extra ton of sugar per acre. This is an increase of about 35 per cent over that best sugarcanes now grown on American plantations. It is propress like this that in the unimary add immersely to the purchasing power of the American farmer.

Here's a thought or two worth Here's a thought or two worth remembering. "Business in the United States at 85 per cent of normal is still greater than that in all the rest of the world together. The way to get your share of it is to call in the squads of asthmatic depression dimes and replace them with battalions of vigorous adverwith the squads of two states of the squads of asthmatic depression dimes and replace them with battalions of vigorous adverwith squares of the squads of the squa with battalions of vigorous adver-tising dollars. The time to step Ernest Hora. out for sales is when business seems all in."

Feed manufacturers must get a lot of satisfaction when they look to the following of the products and see the number of prizes awarded to the users of their products. At the recent International Live book exposition the Grand Champions of the show, the first-prize two-year old carload, and the grand champion calf were all raised by the same feeder, and on the same feed. Which speaks pretty well for both the feeder and the feed. In passing, it is fitting to say that the manufacturer of this particular feed is a steady adverger. Feed manufacturers must get particular feed is a steady adver-tiser who has faith in the farm industry.

Everyone knows how the minature golf course has taken hold. But few realize how important a market these courses are for the agricultural industry. Many of the finest courses in the country have fairways and greens made of burtex fabric, a wool felt which gives the surface the same resiliency and feel that one gets on real turf. Other courses have been constructed using a surface made of cotton

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LANDSCAPING IS STUDY SUBJECT

For Annual Short Course at Ames

The enrollment is limited to permit intensive work on the plans of the home or farmstead of each student. The mornings will be devoted to lectures followed by discussions of various problems of landscaping and the afternoons will be spent in drawing up landscape plans. The individual will be assisted in making his plan by members of the department of landscape architecture and extension workers.

Making a basic survey map, prin-

WEST LIBERTY, Ia.—(Special)
—Mr. and Mrs. George Shafer were recent visitors in Wapello.

Mrs. Nellie Wolf and Mrs. Kenneth Wolf were Iowa City visitors Monday.

Mrs. Fred Heatherington and son Howard, were business visitors in

Visit the spring flower shows and moving into the house formerly get ideas for your garden. Annuals occupied by the O. C. McCullough jets and you will see a lot of them. The johnny-jump-up of grand-

never like alizes An Honey Ball, Honey Rock or some of the new hybrids that have alizes parents. They will be popular.

You can't very often find Savoy cabbages in the market because they are not long keepers. Plant seed and raise some at home. They are the highest quality table cabbages. Their dark green crinkled leaves identify them at once.

Shippers Group of

LONE TREE, Ia.—(Special)—
George Lenz was elected president of the Farmer's Shipping association at the annual business meeting held recently. Other officers are as follows: secretary. Charles

seed hulls. Both types of surfaces furnish an outlet for farm products. Every tiny golf course built, inside or outdoors, using either of these products adds so much more to the farmer's buying ability.

COPENHAGEN MARKET

PROPOSED TAX MEASURE WOULD RAISE PRICES

Communication From Owner of A-Muse-U **Explains Bill**

admissions if a bill which is now pending in the state legislature passed necessarily will mean a forced increase in the admission fees to every theater in Muscatine just as the gasoline tax law increased the price of gasoline in Iowa was the statement made today by Ludy Bosten, proprietor of

day by Ludy Bosten, proprietor of the A-Muse-U theater here.

"I feel it my duty to call to the attention of the theater going public the seriousness of this proposed tax measure." Mr. Bosten declared before leaving for Des Moines to meet other theater owners of the state who will be there the next few days outlining plans for the defeat of the proposed bill. In an effort to acquaint the theater going public with the provisions of the bill he submitted the following communication:

"Realizing the seriousness of the proposed state tax of 10 per cent to be placed on theater admissions, which is now pending in the legislature of Iowa, I feel it my duty to call to the attention of the theater going public the seriousness of this proposed tax measure.

"Upon investigation I find that

proposed tax measure.

"Upon investigation I find that very little has been said or published in regard to this proposed Admission Tax Bill, and I feel that it should be explained so that the theater going public might know the facts and can realize the seriousness of a law imposing such a

posed, is as follows: On and after July 1, 1931 there shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid a tax on opera houses, moving picture show, vaudeville shows, circus, sideshow, carnival, athletic contest, circus, astrage, astrage, flights, riding. sightseeing airplane flights, riding devices of all kinds, skating rink, miniature golf course, public dance, wrestling match, league or profes-sional baseball, and all other places of public amusement operated for

pecuniary profit.

Would Tax Pleasure "This proposed legislation in fact means the placing of taxes on the people for their relaxation, recrepastime and pleasure. We work all day long, from early morn ing until early evening in our efforts to make money enough to pay the taxes levied on our homestead personal property, piano, radio, automobile, and our dog—Yes and we are even taxed for the pleasure that we are to be taxed because some are fortunate enough to have some are fortunate enough to have an income. In fact we are taxed for everything except the pleasure we get during the hour or two we are receiving relaxation and pleasure attending the theater

where the evening admission price are under 50 cents. In fact Musare under 50 cents. In fact Mucatine theaters for some time habeen charging but 40 cents admission and want to continue such charge. This proposed admissi tax bill will place a direct incres of four cents on each 40 cent a mission ticket. This proposed a mission tax bill is a serious mat and the professional men a s in the markers on the control of t

Odd Superstitions

That the proposed state tax of 10

ousness of a law imposing such tax at this time. "Section 1. of the Tax Bill pro

"Muscatine is one of few cities

are as follows: secretary, Charles Buline; directors, Osca Weise, Harry Dodsón, F. H. Lenz and Ernest Hora.

Molds have been invented in which cubes of ice can be frozen in refrigerators not electrically nor chemically operated.

An Austrain motorcycle racer has invented a streamlined metal form to be attached to his back to help increase his speed.

Seed hulls. Both types of surfaces

RIVERSIDE, Ia. (Special)—Members of the Senior Ladies' Needle club met Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stransky. Two new members were voted into the group. They are, Mrs. Gladys In Mrs. Parl Prymck spent Wednesday in Muscatine.

W. H. Cress and Joseph Quinn were in Washington Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Rummelhart, who spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Rath, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Harry Walton and Mrs.

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EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

BAD LUCK TO WATCH THE FRONT OF A MOVING TRAINE OVER EITHER SHOULDER DREAMING IS OFTEN UNLUCKY -IF THE BOSS IS WATCHING. NEVER'OPEN AN UMBRELLA IN THE OWNER'S HOUSE YOU TALK IT IS UNLUCKY TO SPILL THE SALT-

H. Merilott, Former Winfield Resident, Wins School Prize

WINFTELD, Ia.— (Special) —H.
Merilott, son of C. C. Merilott, former mayor of Winfield, was awarded high honors in an intelligence test recently given at the Monmouth high school, according to word received here. He received a total of 311 points and a grade of 95 per cent. Mr. Merilott, Sr., is now mayor of Monmouth.

The local high school basketball team will be in class B this year. The enrollment of the school has fallen below 100 pupils, making the team eligible for class B entry only.

The opereta "Pickels" was given at the Winfield high school Tuesday evening.

Miss Pearl Gimple, daughter of the school, acts, and other wheat flour, corn, oats, and other grains, butter and egg products and leave the school has fallen below 100 pupils, making the team eligible for class B entry only.

at the Winfield high school Tuesday evening.

Miss Pearl Gipple, daughter of Edward Gipple of this place, who recently underwent an operation at the Spencer, Ia., hospital, is reported in an improved condition.

Ike Evans, who has been in poor health for some time, suffered a relapse about a week ago. Little improvement is reported in his condition since that time.

Henry Moody was a business vissity about ity about

dition since that time.

Henry Moody was a business visitor in Burlington Monday.

John Kneen, who has been in poor health for some time, suffered a slight stroke Saturday night. Improvement is reported in his condition.

Missionaries Given Life Appointments

BOSTON — (INS)—Rev. Loy Lewis Long, of Cordell, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Edna Johnson Long, of Brooklyn, N. Y., have received life Mrs. James Hoben and daugh— Brooklyn, N. Y., have received life appointments under the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions in its Marathi Mission, India. They will engage in general evangelistic work in Ahmednagar.

Rev. Long was graduated from Oklahoma University and Union Theological Seminary.

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Mrs. Mrs. William Keel were week end visitors with realtives at Davenport.

Mrs. Long was provided from Oklahoma University and Union Theological Seminary.

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Mrs. Jo Devor and Mrs. Frank Whitaker.

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Mrs. Margaret Harmon is visit-ing at the home of her brother, Downer Enoch.

ber have been invented to prevent automobile doors rattling by being inserted in the hi

Brazil will reorganize its reclama-tion service, the chief work of which it providing irrigation for areas subject to droughts.

YEAR'S EMBARGO ON WHEAT URGED

grains, butter and egg products and

Gladwin

GLADWIN, Ia. — (Special)—Six car loads of pipe has been un-loaded here for use in the gas line which will pass through this vicin-ity about a mile north of town.

The garage building erected several years ago by Earl McKean has been sold to J. W. Hendrickson and will be torn down.

Miss Rose Davidson, teacher at the Frog Pond school visited at the the Frog Pond school, visited at the home of her parents near Wash-

ngton over the week end. Ray Jones and family of near Grandview were Sunday visitors at the Burrel Jones home. Mr. and Mrs. J. Manly and son

The Riverside Home

In Riverside Mrs. Lawrence Morgan and chil-dren of Nichols visited Monday with Mrs. Morgan's cousin, Mrs. F.

Harkinson.

Cutie, Jersey Cow, Leads Country in Milk Production

ALSO THE BEANS

BERKELEY, Calif. — (INS)— Rutgers Pogis Cutie fails to let the economic depression or unem-ployment situation bother her. She

laughs at it.

It fills her with a grand optimism, and she keeps right on producing; in fact she broke a na-

ducing; in fact she broke a national record.

Cutie is a seven year-old purebred Jersey cow owned by the University of California. She has just won the highest award of the American Jersey Cattle Club, surpassing all other Jersey cows in the United States for production in 1930.

Her 1930 yield was 891.96 pounds of butterfat and 18.572 pounds of milk or 8,638 quarts.

milk or 8,638 quarts.
"Let's keep busy," has been Cutie's motto.
"Let's give and give until it hurts."

Moscow

James Marolf assisted by George Smith and Frederick Marolf were training coits Monday, getting them ready for the spring work. Al Barewald of Tipton spent Monday at the home of his mother.

Mrs. John Teufel. Mrs. George Morrison living west of here is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schafnit in Atalissa.

Milton J. House and Henry Klaes attended the combination sale held in West Liberty Monday.

Fred Birkhofer, who has been a

Fred Birkhofer who has been a patient in the University hospital in Iowa City for a number of days returned to his home here Tues-day. Mrs. Julius Rottman, a train-ed nurse from Vilton, will assist in the care of Mr. Birkhofer at his home here. patient in the University hospital

Bandages made of silver leaf instead of cotton by a Vienna surgeon have been found to have marked antiseptic value.

By Herblock FARM OUTLOOK **MEETS LARGER**

Odd Fellow Lodges

Of Johnson County Meet at Lone Tree

George Rieland, Sr., received word Monday evening that his

word Monday evening that his mother, Mrs. Kathryn Rieland of Correlsville and sisters and brother-

in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Brant and Mrs. B. J. Petrick of Iowa City had been injured in an automobile accident near Atalissa

on their way home from Davenport.

The group were hurt when the automobile in which they were riding figured in a head-on collision with another machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Stanfield of

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Stanfield of Iowa City were visitors at the Ronald Sherburne home recently.
Mrs. E. E. Wolford has received word of the death of her neice, Mrs. Anna Chown Davey in Bisbee. Ariz.
Mrs. Davey was born near Wilton Junction and is survived by the widower and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knotek and daughter, Mary Katherine; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Knotek and daughter, Arlene; Mrs. Ernest Knotek, all of

Washington, were recent visitors at the W. H. Stonebarger home.

G. B. Kirchner and D. V. Morgan were in Davenport Tuesday.

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. - (INS)-

Hollywood today is one of the rich-est financial and industrial centers

program that has been carried on in the city.

Navigable streams of the United

States are spanned by 6643 bridges. of which 62 are 100 or more feet above the water.

Approximately 45 per cent of the working population of the Eng-lish city of Manchester are em-ployed in silk manufacture.

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of the west.

Attendance Increases Nearly 100 Pct. Over Past

AMES, Ia.—(Special)—Greatly increased interest in agricultural outlook information is shown this year by almost 100 per cent increase over past years in attendance at the Iowa outlook conference, according to J. C. Galloway, farm management specialist in the extension service at Iowa State college.

Nearly 1,400 farmers and others interested in farm outlook infor-mation attended the first 16 of the meetings held last week. This is an average per meeting of more than 80, nearly double the attend-

Meet at Lone Tree

LONE TREE, Ia.,—(Special)

About 500 persons attended the get together meeting of Johnson county Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges held in Fisher's Opera house Monday evening. Other counties in this district were also represented at the meeting. Delegations from lowation, Conesville, West Liberty, Nichols and Riverside were present.

The following program was given: Address of welcome, H. P. Loring; song by members of Hukill Rebekah lodge; reading, Eliza Wolford; playlet, Carl Warbach and Everett Stocks; reading, Dorothea Weist; vocal solo, Myrtle Spevachek; recitation, Willis Horrel; playlet, Arthur Petree and Raymond Herring; vocal solo, Miss Poole of Nichols; reading, Miss Wilma Darby of Iswa City; reading. Lawrence Forbes; closing song.

Following the program refreshments were served, and music for dancing furnished by Arthur Petree, Fred Hauk and Mrs. Oscar Green.

George Rieland, Sr., received word Monday evening that his ance of 1930.

"Farmers are beginning to realize that farming is a competitive business and they must make use of the best available economic information on probable production and demand," said Mr. Galloway. In addition to the 36 meetings previously announced an outlook conference has been scheduled for Charles City, Feb. 24.

'Honest Abe' Wins In Debate of River Junction Students

RIVER JUNCTION, Ia.—(Special) — Abraham Lincoln was adjudged to have been a greater man than George Washington at a debate held recently by students of the River Junction school. Lawrence Owen and Arthur Martin argued for Lincoln while Francis Davidson and Verda Ambrecht presented the arguments in favor of Washington.

Following the debate a spelling contest was held. Francis Davidson was the winner in this event. Mrs. Thomas Martin was a visitor at the school.

at the school.

Improvement is reported in the condition of Martin Burge, who has been iil at his home under the care of a trained nurse, for the past week.

Ross Rayner, J. Sherbine and Scott Stout attended farm sale of Raymond Lorac north of Gladwin Monday.

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Mrs. Frank Sherbine, Miss Bessie
Rayner and Lloyd Maginder were
Iowa City business visitors Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Mullinnix,
and children, Stanley and Pauline;
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mullinnix and
daughter, Marcella of Iowa City
and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morford
attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary
Orr Monday afternoon at Fredonia. During the last ten years the film city has enjoyed tremendous and extensive development. The vast increase in financial and industrial activities has insured the film city a firm financial footing and it is now considered one of the richest western business centers.

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Mrs. Elsie Chase and Miss Ruth
Kindel of Iowa City spent the week
end at the Joseph Ambrecht home.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sheppard
arrived at the home of Mr. Sheppard's mother, Mrs. Ada Sheppard,
Monday, from Wyoming where they
had spent the past six months visiting relatives. business centers.

Figures show that in 1830 Hollywood had property holdings and buildings with an appraised value of \$496,177,780, while in 1910 its property holdings were valued at \$20,000,000. These figures were computed from the official assessed valuation.

In line with the tremendous growth of the cinema city, plans have been amnounced for the construction of a limit-height sky-scraper to be erected in the heart of Hollywood. The structure will be 13 stories high. This is only a part of the extensive building program that has been carried on ting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gallagher of Iowa City spent Monday at the Harry Fountain home.

Mrs. Miles Atkin and daughter, Esther, were visitors Monday at the Charles Hawthorne home.

Matt Green spent the week end at the home of his brother-in-law. William Boyd, west of Gladwin.

M. W. Hilton, Bert Reppart and Edward Reppart were business visitors Monday in Lone Tree.

Joseph Nunnally is visiting at the home of Edward Reppart.

Miss Marie Walters of Iowa City is assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. Harry Musser, who is confined to her home by the influenza.

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